Weather
Clear cold weather today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 66.5 and the minimum 38.3, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 68.9 and 45.0.

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D'ANNUNZIO, RULER OF FIUME, SEEKS TO ANNEX DALMATIA

AMERICANS WILL LEAVE PARIS SOON

Delegates To Conference To Sail For Home December 5

WILSON IS HEARD

President Did Not Want Treaty Ratified With Reservations

PEKING IS ELATED

U.S. Senate's Action On Shantung Is Cause Of Rejoicing

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, November 24.—The American delegation to the Peace Conference will sail for America on December 5.

Washington, November 24.—A letter from President Wilson advising Administration Senators to vote against ratification of the Peace Treaty with the Foreign Relations Committee's reservations has been laid before a conference of Administration Senators by Senator Hitchcock.

PEKING IS PLEASED

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Peking, November 24.—Now that the fight over the Cabinet is ended official Peking has more time to spare for the consideration of the advantages that China will derive from the American Senate's reservation covering the Shantung clause in the Peace Treaty, and there is no doubt that the officials, press and people of the capital are elated over the Senate's action.

Cabinet officials have asserted that the Senate's reservations will mean much to China when the question of entering into direct negotiations with Japan for the restoration of Shantung is brought up again by that Power, while other officials say that China will now be able to lay her case unhindered before the League of Nations in the event that that body ever materialises in such a way as to be able to make international decisions and enforce them.

From the President's office it is learned that President Hsu is greatly pleased with China's prospects for getting back Shantung as a result of the action of the United States Senate, but Hsu Hsi-chang is not prepared to make a public statement covering the question at this time. The fact is that neither the President nor the officials at the Cabinet and the Foreign Office have been able as yet to decide in anything but a general way what effect the American Senate's Shantung reservation will have on the Shantung question and other matters that concern China. Their feeling is one of gratitude and undefined optimism rather than anything more specific.

VIEWS OF PRESS

The Peking press of yesterday and today take up the Shantung question with greater detail than do the officials, and the Chen Pao, the organ of the Chinputang, which is unusually well informed regarding international questions, says today:

"There is no doubt here that the American Senate's reservations will affect the Treaty of Peace fundamentally and that the formation of the League of Nations will consequently be delayed. On the other hand the reservations will also have some effect on the proposed opening of direct negotiations between Japan and China, for they mean that the United States Government will not recognise any direct negotiations between the countries and will reserve for America the right to take free action at any time respecting disputes which may arise between China and Japan over the Shantung question. The United States Senate adjourned on the 20th of this month and it is certain that its reservations will not only affect the situation in Europe and America but will also

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-:- Got A Match? -:-

—Ding in New York Tribune

JAPANESE EDITOR ASSAILS BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY

Varies Anti-American Propaganda With Vicious Attack On England's Diplomacy

SOME OF IT UNPRINTABLE

Tsinan Paper Accuses John Bull Of Hurried Effort To Control Persia

(China Press Correspondence)

Tsinan, Shantung, Nov. 22.—The Tsinan Jih Pao, the leading Japanese controlled daily of Tsinan, varies its anti-American propaganda by inserting attacks against some of the other western nationalities. The following editorial appeared under the title, "England's Clever Foreign Policy."

"In these days the diplomatic policy of England is very clever; on the one hand, England is very anxious to settle the Thibetan question; on the other, by signing the Anglo-Persian treaty on the 9th of this month, she attained the end of years. The contents of the treaty are as follows:

(1) Persia must engage English advisers to help in the work of administration.

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(2) England and Persia agree to jointly build the railroads and improve the communication facilities of Persia.

(3) The English government in conjunction with the Persian financial administration estimates to contract a public debt of 20,000,000 pounds within the next twenty years.

(4) In order to maintain internal order and to protect the border, English military advisers are to create and direct an army, and in the case of emergency, they are to use English officers. The above mentioned Anglo-Persian alliance to protect the independence of Persia demonstrates the cleverness of England's diplomatic policy.

"In Thibet by protecting the independence and the self-government of the country, England is planning to get complete control of the military and financial affairs just as in Persia she protects (to avoid the word destroys) the independence of Persia. Since the war England is anxious to settle the Thibetan question. What is her motive? That is not clear. Apparently,

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Troops Patrolling City Of Alexandria

(Reuter's Service)

Alexandria, November 18.—Troops have been posted at commanding points and armored cars and cavalry are patrolling the city. All is quiet. The entry of troops was welcomed most thankfully by the Europeans.

There was an innovation in the demonstrations today when stall girls walked in front of the bier at the funeral of a man who was killed in the disturbances, boys forming a vanguard and rearguard. When the mob last night searched the tram-cars for officers and soldiers, an officer escaped by being hidden by some respectable natives under their robes.

RESULT OF VOTE IN ITALY GIVEN

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, November 21.—The Final election results are as follows:—

	Seats.
Socialists	156
Catholics	100
Liberals	161
Reformist Socialists	16
Democrats	23
Republicans	9
Ex-Soldiers	23
Democratic-Radicals	1
Nationalists	2
Independents	3
Socialist-Radicals	1
Independent-Socialists	1

French Ministry Not Resigning Now

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, November 21.—Paris circles state that the present Ministry is not likely to resign immediately on account of the imminence of the Municipal, Senate and Presidential elections, which are considered as forming a political whole, and that accordingly M. Clemenceau will dissolve the Ministry when all the electoral matters have been settled.

OPIUM DEALERS BRIBED POLICE, OFFICIALS AVER

Sixteen Said To Be In Plot To Corrupt 208 Men On Hongkew Force

CONSTABLES ARRESTED

Three Patrolmen In Court As Receivers Of Cash From Shopkeepers

Sixteen conspirators in an opium ring attempted the bribery of the entire Chinese Police force of the Hongkew district, according to charges made before Japanese Assessor Hayashida and Magistrate Loh in the Mixed Court yesterday when three Chinese constables appeared for trial. The case is being heard in camera but the details of the trial were made known.

Mr. R. C. Faithful, who leaves Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones and Wright next Saturday to become legal advisor to the police, appeared for the prosecution. Messrs. L. Kentwell and Y. Kikuchi represented the defendants.

The case of the prosecution was completed yesterday. The defense will call its witnesses this afternoon.

ALLEGED BRIBERS HELD

Five of the alleged conspirators have been arrested in raids in which three of their establishments were said to have been found to have opium for sale. Their trial is to follow that of the accused constables.

Each of the sixteen shopkeepers is said to have contributed $26

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Adjusting Wages In America

THE OWNERS

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, November 23.—The mine-owners have declined to grant the increase to the miners proposed by the Secretary of Labor unless the Government assumes responsibility for the added burden to consumers.

THE MINERS

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, November 22.—The Acting President of the Miners' Union on behalf of the bituminous coal-miners has accepted the Secretary of Labor's proposal for a wage advance of thirty-one percent for day-laborers, and of twenty seven cents per ton for hewers.

ARMED FORCE OF JAPANESE IN FOOCHOW

Peking Gets Report Of Landing Of Marines In Concession

INVITES TROUBLE

View Held Tokio Will Be Responsible For Any New Conflict

LEGATION SPEAKS

Blame For Outrage Is Shifted To Chinese In Statement

(CHINA PRESS OWN SERVICE)

Peking, Nov. 26.—The Peking Government has been informed that a detachment of Japanese marines landed at the concession at Foochow on Tuesday and after parading through the concession made an unsuccessful attempt to enter the Chinese city. It is reported that great excitement prevails at Foochow.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 26.—Excitement was created in Peking today by the news that Japanese marines had been landed at Foochow, having expressed the intention of parading on shore and the desire to entire the city.

It is the opinion in Peking that the Japanese have thus taken on their shoulders responsibility for order in Foochow and that they must not complain if a conflict occurs between the marines and the Chinese as a result of this procedure.

Statement On Incident Is Issued By Legation

Peking, November 24.—A member of the Japanese Legation has sent the following statement to Reuter's Agency:

"In connection with the Foochow incident the Japanese Legation states that the circumstances prevailing prior to the incident were that a vigilant watch was kept on all goods belonging to Japanese and Formosan merchants, interference with, seizure and burning of Japanese goods were not uncommon. A recent example was afforded in a suburb of Foochow, where a consignment of rice belonging to a Formosan merchant was seized by students.

"Repeated protests of the Japanese Consul and the Military Governor's proclamation warning the students were unheeded. Some of the Japanese and Formosan merchants were forced, in such circumstances to resort to self-protective measures by means of a convoy system for the transport of their goods.

"The direct cause of the trouble was that on the 16th instant some $130 worth of lace yarn belonging to "Amada Yoko," a Japanese firm, was held up in front of the Y.M.C.A. by a group of students. A coolie was being beaten and Formosans who were with the convoy hastened to the coolie's rescue and handed one of the students over to the Chinese police. A clash followed and several hundreds of excited students ran out of the Y.M.C.A. buildings and came into collision with about a hundred Japanese and Formosans of the neighborhood who were attracted to the scene by alarming reports. The joining in of Chinese rowdies and the presence of several hundreds of soldiers and armed police added to the confusion.

SERGEANT WOUNDED

"Japanese Consular constables in attempting to disperse the Japanese and Formosans were mistaken

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Americans To Celebrate Thanksgiving Holiday

Americans in Shanghai and a great many of their friends of other nationalities will unite today in solemn and happy observance of Thanksgiving Day, a holiday first declared in 1621 by the Pilgrim fathers, seekers after liberty of religious thought, after their first harvest in the new world.

Although a copy of the American president's official proclamation declaring the day a holiday has not yet been received, although the Consul-General, Mr. Cunningham, has used the cable and radio in an effort to get it, the fact that it has been a custom for many years to declare the last Thursday in November "Thanksgiving Day" was sufficient to instigate an order that all official business of the United States here be suspended for 24 hours. The American consular offices, courts and post office will be closed and citizens of the United States, and their friends, generally, will observe the day.

Worship has always been the keynote of the day and service at the Union Church at 5 o'clock this evening is certain to be largely attended. The services will be participated in by the American Association of China, the Chamber of Commerce, the Woman's Club, the University Club, American Company, American navy men in port and other American organisations.

Invitations have been accepted by the Allied consuls-general here. The program is:

Andante cantabile by ..... W. J. Dor
Prelude by ..... Lund-Skabo
Mr. M. Gardner Tewksbury
Hymn, America ..... Leader—C. D. Glauque
Prayer ..... Rev. E. C. Lobenstine
The Lord's Prayer
Hymn No. 309 (Fellowship Hymnal)
Psalm No. 145 ..... Rev. J. W. Nichols
Solo: Song of Thanksgiving ..... Miss Mary McConnell
The Reading the President's Proclamation .....
E. S. Cunningham, Consul-General
Hymn No. 278 (Fellowship Hymnal)
Address ..... M. T. Stauffer, B.A., B.D.
Solo—Just for Today ..... A. G. Loehr
The National Anthem
Benediction ..... Rev. G. F. Fitch, D.D.

The American Company is to entertain at the Astor House. Mr. V. E. Scott is chairman and Mr. T. C. Britton, of the American-Oriental Bank, has charge of the issuance of invitations and placing of the guests. This is to be a supper dance, beginning at 9:30 o'clock in the evening and conducted by the Glee Club.

Enrollment of the American Company will assemble on the Bund, opposite Jardine Matheson's Offices, at 4:30 p.m. for afternoon services. They will be in uniform and with sidearms, but without rifles.

Special dinners, in honor of the occasion, are to be served at the Astor House, the Carlton, the Astor Grill, the Cafe Parisien and the Trocadero. There will be a prize dance at the Carlton.

Elevens representing the Navy and the American Athletic Club are to contest in American football at the Race Course. The game, which promises to be the leading American athletic event of the season, will begin at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Instead of the usual tiffin this week the Shanghai Rotary Club will celebrate by making their bow before the movies to be filmed this afternoon at the Race Course. Every Rotarian with his wife and family is expected to be before the camera at three o'clock.

The arrangements have been made with the director of the Universal Film Company party now in Shanghai and the movie stunt will be made a prelude to the American football game.

The pictures will be shown later in America before other Rotary clubs.

American Senate Thanked For Attitude On Shantung By Local Chinese Unions

In Cablegram Declare They Sincerely Appreciate Effort In Upholding Principle Of Justice And Look To Press For Further Aid

Resolutions thanking the United States Senate for its recent action on the Shantung question and asking the American press to continue its sympathetic attitude towards China were adopted yesterday at a meeting of the Students' Union and the Union of the Associated Bodies at the Yih Ping Shan Hotel. Plans to strengthen the anti-Japanese boycott movement were also discussed at the meeting.

Mr. Liu Tseng-chuan of the Union of the Associated Bodies presided. Police interference was discussed for a considerable time and a representative of the Chinese Christians' Union even suggested that the name of the place of meeting should be omitted by the newspapers in Shanghai in order that future meetings of this nature might be held without interference.

CABLEGRAMS TO ALLIES

Yin Tseng, who claims to have been a revolutionist for the last 30 years, urged that every organisation represented at the meeting send three or more cablegrams to the Allied nations, except Japan, to ask them to support the action of the American Senate and re-open the discussion of the Shantung award to Japan.

The chairman, besides consuming a great deal of time in discussing the resolutions and plans, gave a lengthy speech at the opening of the program. After pointing out that the Republic of China, which he claimed the meeting represented, should express itself on the action of the American Senate he said the independence of the Chinese Republic is no longer respected by Japan and the only relief Chinese can get is by strengthening anti-Japanese boycott movement.

Miss Liu Ching-yang, who has come here from Tientsin especially to organise the Union of the Associated Bodies touched on the importance of saving the Chinese nation, conscientiously. She said China has to depend upon the conscience of the people for the nation's salvation. The movement in May, she said, was aimed at the salvation of China and her people and the maintenance of permanent peace throughout the world. To preserve the peace of the Far East would mean the preservation of the peace of the world, she thought.

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The speaker maintained that the Senate's action was taken in recognition of the national awakening of the Chinese people. However, she said, Chinese should regard the Japanese encroachment on Fukien in the same manner as they regard that on Shantung. She felt that the boycott movement in China is dwindling; otherwise Japan would not dare to repeat her oppressive policy in the Southern province.

"We have no arms to fight Japan," said Miss Liu in conclusion. "But we have a weapon in the form of the boycott. This means of resistance is of course pitiful but if it is strengthened it may yet suppress the greed of our aggressors."

As to further plans to strengthen the boycott, Miss Liu suggested that delegates should be appointed by the local organisations to approach the merchants and ask them to refrain from either buying from or selling to

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GRAVE CRISIS ON ADRIATIC FACES ALLIES

Poet - Insurgent Intends To Attack Montenegro, Reported To Rome

REVOLT MENACES

Seditious Move Against Italy Itself Believed To Be Planned

WAR TALK HEARD

All Jugo-Slavia Blazes With Anger And Is Expected To Act

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 22.—The situation in the Adriatic as the result of d'Annunzio's activities is very grave. The censorship in Rome was lifted for the first time since the Zara raid yesterday, when a semi-official account of the d'Annunzio landing was issued.

This and a semi-official statement from Belgrade indicate that d'Annunzio aims at annexing Dalmatia and attacking Montenegro, while it is hinted in the Rome statement that some of d'Annunzio's partisans are counting on support in the interior of Italy and are planning seditious action in Italy itself.

Jugo-Slavia is now at a white heat of indignation and the semi-official Belgrade telegram speaks of "prompt decisions against the Italian rebels."

Paris Council Decides On Reply To Germans

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, November 25, (via Lyons and Koukaza).—The Supreme Allied Council, met yesterday morning, M. Jules Cambon presiding, and decided on the reply to be sent to the German Delegation, in answer to the note in which the Delegation informed the Peace Conference of the departure of the German Plenipotentiaries for Berlin.

The Council had before it a despatch from Sir George Clerk announcing that he had left Budapest to return to Paris.

It was decided, at the request of the Polish Delegates, that the negotiations on territorial and economic questions between the Poles and Germans should take place in Paris. It was further resolved that the negotiations between the Polish Delegates and the Free State of Danzig should begin at Danzig and be continued in Paris.

Lastly the Council was informed that a considerable number of German soldiers are mobilised at Flensburg and in the Plebiscitory area of Slesvig. In view of the probability that these soldiers may be natives of this district, the Council will order an investigation to be made.

Paris, November 25 (via Lyons and Koukaza).—The Credentials Commission under M. Jules Cambon examined the credentials of M. Stambuliski, Bulgarian Premier and Plenipotentiary, at the Foreign office yesterday, and found them in order.

Constantinople, November 21.—The Sublime Porte has appealed to the Peace Conference to hasten the Turkish settlement, pointing out grave reasons for a speedy conclusion of peace.

PERUVIA RATIFIES

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, November 24.—The Peruvian Legation has officially notified the State Department that the Peace Treaty has been approved unanimously by the Peruvian Assembly.

Paris, November 22.—The departure of the German delegate Herr von Simson to Berlin is much commented upon. Herr von Simson says that he must consult his Government regarding the new conventions, notably as regards the failure on Germany's part to carry out certain clauses of the armistice.

It is declared that this will prevent the ratification of the Treaty by December 1, as fixed by the Supreme Council.

Events Preceding Return Of Mongolia To Chinese Rule Given In Statement

History Of Past Agreements And Conventions Is Set Forth With Text Of Memorial To Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, November 23.—Reuter's correspondent in an interview with a Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs inquired into the question of the cancellation of the autonomy of Mongolia and received the following statement:

At the time of the proclamation of the Republic in 1912, the union of the five races—Chinese, Manchu, Mongol, Mohammedan and Tibetan —was not only made the foundation of the new commonwealth but was enshrined as a fundamental idea by the adoption of the five-barred Republican Flag, each color standing for one of the ancient racial divisions of the Empire.

The position in Mongolia was not obscure. While it is true that prior to the foundation of the Manchu Dynasty in 1644 the national domain beyond the great wall was not defined with very great precision, since the Ming Dynasty, which succeeded the Yuan Dynasty of the Mongols, had not raised territorial issues beyond the Gobi desert, for the past two and a-half centuries the precise frontiers of Mongolia, together with the nature of Chinese sovereignty have been so repeatedly laid down in treaties and conventions with the former Russian Government that the territorial issue was at least as well regulated as along the classic frontiers of European States.

BORDERS CLEARLY MARKED

Beginning with the Treaty of Merchinsk of 1689, in which it was specifically provided that boundary stones should mark the dividing line between Chinese and Russian territory and which settled the struggle that had been going on towards the East in the borderlands of the Amur, convention after convention is on clear record. Indeed, so concerned was the supreme authority in China to obviate all misunderstandings that in 1728 an additional frontier treaty, known as the Treaty of Kiakta, was drawn up in which provision was made not only for the erection of additional boundary posts but for the establishment of guardhouses along the common line.

The supplementary Treaty of Kiakta of 1768, closely following the first treaty of the same name, was even more precise on the subject of the arrest and extradition of criminals and the suppression of brigandage along the common Russo-Chinese frontier. One of the most speaking provisions of this convention of 150 years ago was the definite stipulation that murderers who had committed their crimes in the territory of the neighbor were to be seized and publicly executed on the frontier, while in the case of brigandage the horse, saddlery and arms of every arrested brigand were to be given to the family of the victim. No better proof of the right of eminent domain exercised by China could be afforded than this, since the punishment of malefactors is throughout the world the first sovereign right. All these treaties refer specifically and very specially to the open frontier of Outer Mongolia administered from Urga, where there was a constant passage of caravans. Besides, Tartar-Generals and Ambans were stationed at Uliasutai, Kobdo and other places.

From these remote days of the 18th Century down to the events connected with the establishment of the Republic no change whatsoever occurred in the definition of the Mongolian frontier as covered by the Kiakta instruments.

When in the period 1911-1912, with the abdication of the late dynasty, certain Manchu irreconcilables began stirring up disaffection throughout Mongolia and invited certain Mongol princes to secede, there was then created a partial state of war which, in spite of the conciliatory attitude of the new Republican Government, brought about complete interruption of the caravan trade. That this movement was aided and abetted by foreigners is proved by the claims which were at the time advanced in the Russian press.

OLD DOCUMENTS FOUND

It was alleged, for instance, that documents had been discovered in Inner Mongolia dating back to the 16th Century (prior to the establishment of the Manchu Dynasty in China) in which certain Mongol Khanates had pledged their allegiance to the Mukden Dynasty only; and that, consequently, the abdication of that dynasty dissolved these bonds. That the separatist movement had its roots in Siberia was fully confirmed by the news received in Peking in October, 1912, that a former Russian Minister to China had arrived secretly in Urga and had recognised the independence of Outer Mongolia on behalf of his Government.

The tentative and somewhat illusory proclamation of independence of Outer Mongolia, in December, 1911, by the Hutukhutu and nobles of Urga had up to that time been treated as the work of a cabal yielding to certain temptations. It had been hoped to settle the matter by private negotiations. Now it became incumbent to take open official note of the situation, particularly as foreign complications could not be faced by China in view of her domestic embarrassments. Consequently, on November 5, 1913 there was concluded a Russo-Chinese agreement the signature of which, so far as the Chinese Government was concerned, was due solely to *force majeur*. The recognition by Russia that Outer Mongolia was under the suzerainty of China and the corresponding recognition by China of the so-called autonomy of Outer Mongolia were in fact nothing more than a diplomatic devise of a temporary nature. The essential element in the situation was that Russian agents, accompanied by armed forces, had openly established themselves in the city of Urga, had persuaded the Mongol dignitaries to form a so-called Cabinet on a plan drawn up for them, had provided a large sum of money, and had thereby *mala fide* broken down the traditional relationship between two friendly peoples. That it was found impossible to delimit even vaguely the extent of Outer Mongolia, except where the century-old Russian frontier lay, shows the provisional and imperfect nature of an arrangement which was bitterly resented by the whole Chinese people as an invasion of their sovereignty.

EFFORT IS FAILURE

The Tripartite agreement concluded on June 7, 1915, at Kiakta, between China, Russia and the representatives of Urga, while nominally improving China's standing merely accentuated these facts and deepened the resentment of the Chinese people at the disturbance of their historic past. The attempt made to carry the trade frontier from the well established Siberian-Mongolian line to the problematical frontier of Inner Mongolia completely failed because frontier delimitation, to be carried out before June 7, 1917, was never accomplished.

In these circumstances and bearing in mind the situation which was created in Siberia in 1918 through the spread of Bolshevism and general disorder it became incumbent upon China to concern herself with a matter that intimately concerns the safety of Peking. In this attitude the Urga dignitaries not only concurred but they insisted on the need of troops to guard the Siberian frontier owing to the general unrest.

Thus a telegram dated March 19 from Urga reported that the leader of the Buriats had despatched representatives to Urga with munificent presents for the Hutukhutu, that many of his men were proceeding to Urga on a seditious mission and that in order to counteract these movements the Mongolian Government earnestly appealed to China to concentrate sufficient troops in Mongolia.

Again, on May 18 a telegram stated that in three or four months time the Buriat leader would send the bandit chieftain, Fu Shen-ho, with three thousand men to invade Mongolia from Tsetsen League and four thousand Buriats from Udinsk. On June 15 another telegram stated that this Buriat leader was attempting to recruit men for his army in Urga in order to intercept communication between Kiakta and Urga, to expel the Chinese from Outer Mongolia and to declare the independence of Mongolia. The Outer Mongolian Government strongly urged the despatch of Chinese troops to save the situation. On June 26 the Outer Mongolian Government plaintively reiterated its helplessness and invoked the assistance of Chinese troops to prevent the crisis which was being created by the disturbing elements of the Buriats and their bandit allies.

OTHER MESSAGES

On June 29 the Premier of the Urga Government, Prince Chelin, stated that unless Chinese troops arrived speedily the Mongolian situation could not be saved. Such telegrams and reports received by the Central Government were many and they all urged the necessity of immediate action on the part of the Central Government.

Obviously strategical necessity demanded action, since Outer Mongolia is too weak and too accessible both from the North and the East to stand alone. Accordingly, the decision was taken to reinforce the garrisons in Inner Mongolia and to bring up the frontier guard at Urga to the strength deemed necessary by the competent military authorities.

In the Autumn of 1919 the Chinese Government began to receive a series of telegraphic despatches from the Chinese Resident in Outer Mongolia reporting on the desire which existed in Urga towards a complete return to the old conditions. Since then a special mission from Outer Mongolia has reached Peking, messengers of the expressed desire of the Hutukhutu and the Mongol dignitaries to cancel the arrangements which have marred the tranquillity of what is an integral part of the Republic. Finally, on November 17 a formal memorial addressed to the President of China, praying for the cancellation of autonomy was received by the Resident in behalf of the President from the Autonomous Government of Outer Mongolia in the following terms:

TEXT OF MEMORIAL

"We, the Ministers and Vice-Ministers (here follow their names and ranks) of all the departments of the autonomous Government of Outer Mongolia, and all the princes, dukes, hutuktus and lamas and others resident at Urga, hereby jointly and severally submit the following petition for the esteemed perusal of His Excellency the President of the Republic of China:

"Outer Mongolia has been a dependency of China since the reign of the Emperor Kang-hsi, remaining loyal for over two hundred years, the entire population, from princes and dukes down to the common people having enjoyed the blessings of peace. During the reign of the Emperor Taokwang changes in the established institutions, which were opposed to Mongolian sentiments, caused dissatisfaction which was aggravated by the corruption of the administration officers during the last days of the Manchu Dynasty. Taking advantage of this Mongolian dissatisfaction, foreigners instigated and assisted the independence movement. Upon the Kiakta Convention being signed the autonomy of Outer Mongolia was held a fait accompli, China retaining an empty suzerainty while the officials and people of Outer Mongolia lost many of their old rights and privileges. Since the establishment of this autonomous government no progress whatsoever has been chronicled, the affairs of government being indeed plunged in a state of chaos and causing deep pessimism.

"Lately chaotic conditions have also reigned supreme in Russia reports of revolutionary elements threatening our frontiers having been frequently received. Moreover, since the Russians have no united Government it is only natural that they are powerless to carry out the provisions of the treaties: and now that they have no control over their subjects the Buriat tribes have constantly conspired and co-operated with bandits, and repeatedly sent delegates to Urga urging our Government to join with them and form a Pan-Mongolian nation. That this propaganda werk, so varied and so persistent, which aims at usurping Chinese suzerainty and undermining the autonomy of Outer Mongolia, does more harm than good to Outer Mongolia, our Government is well aware. The Buriats, with their bandit allies, now considering us unwilling to espouse their cause, contemplate despatching troops to violate our frontiers and to compel our submission. Furthermore, forces from the so-called White Army have forcibly occupied Tanu Ulianghai, an old possession of Outer Mongolia, and attacked both Chinese and Mongolian troops, this being followed by the entry of the Red Army, thus making the situation impossible.

DECISION IS REACHED

"Now that both our internal and external affairs have reached such a climax, we, the Members of the Government, in view of the present situation, have assembled all the princes, dukes, lamas and others and have held frequent meetings to discuss the question of our future welfare. Those present have been unanimously of the opinion that the old bonds of friendship having been restored our autonomy should be cancelled, since Chinese and Mongolians are filled with a common purpose and ideal.

"The result of our decision has been duly reported to His Holiness the Bogdo Jetsun Dampa Hutuktu Khan and has received his approval and support. Such being the position we now unanimously petition His Excellency the President that the old order of affairs be restored.

(Signed)

"Premier and Acting Minister of the Interior, Prince Lama Batma Torgee.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Tarkhan Puntzuk Chellin.
"Vice-Minister Great Lama of Beliktu, Prince Puntzuk Torgee.
"Minister of Foreign Affairs, Duke Cheilin Torgee.
"Vice-Minister, Dalai Prince Chei tantun Lomour.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Ochi, Kaotzuktanba.
"Minister of War, Prince of Elteni Jamuyen Torgee.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Elteni Selunto Chihleh.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Elteni Pankizu Laptan.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Itkemur Chitu Wachir.
"Minister of Finance, Prince Lama Loohitsan Paletan.
"Vice-Minister, Prince Torgee Cheilin.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Suchuketu Tehmutzu Kejwan.
"Minister of Justice, Dalai of Chiechenkhan Wananin.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Daichinchihun Chackehbatcherhu.
"Vice-Minister, Prince of Choliketu Lama Dashtunyupu."

The Government of China, in complying with this earnest appeal to restore the old order of affairs, is moved by the heartfelt desire to assist in the establishment of general peace on an enduring basis. It was impossible to continue arrangements which had obviously lapsed owing to the dissolution of the Russian Empire and which were a constant invitation to unrest. The policy now being carried out is in strict agreement with the frontier principles established by the late dynasty: for China sixty years ago anticipated the ruling of the recent Paris Peace Conference that a fundamental necessity exists to give all nations access to the sea—her cession of the left bank of the Amur, together with the right of navigation on that great waterway, coupled with frontier trade privilege, having conferred on the Russian people all that they could legitimately claim beyond Lake Baikal. Today as in the case of Persia, where an arrangement which had been made by the late Russian Government has likewise automatically terminated, and been replaced by a new Treaty freely entered into and more in consonance with existing circumstances, the frank appeal of the Urga Government to the Republic of the Five Races marks a new stage in world reorganisation. It is now not too much to hope that in the not distant future general peace and tranquility will reign throughout every district of the Chinese domain, and promote all those high objects of civilisation which are today so constantly in the thoughts and declarations of statesmen and peoples alike.

Russian Protest Over Mongolia Is Filed At Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 25.—The Russian Minister yesterday lodged a formal protest with the Waichiaopu regarding the cancellation of the Sino-Russo-Mongolian Treaties of 1912, 1913 and 1915, contending that consent to their modification by a recognised Russian Government was essential.

Peking, November 26.—It is semi-officially stated that the interests of Russian citizens in Outer-Mongolia which do not conflict with Chinese sovereignty will not be affected by the cancellation of the autonomy of Outer Mongolia.

General Hsu Shu-tseng has reported to the Cabinet regarding the recent events at Urga. It is understood that the Cabinet is not pleased at the arrest of General Chen Yi, particularly as he is popular with the Mongols, and it was he who carried out all the preliminary work in connection with the cancellation of autonomy, General Hsu Shu-tseng merely butting in at the finish.

GERMAN FORCES EVACUATE MITAU

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, November 22.—The Germans have evacuated Mitau, the "Iron" Division retreating in good order.

Alsace-Lorraine Men To Present Address In French Chamber

Declaration Will Be Read By Deputy Who Was Member In 1870

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, November 25, (via Lyons and Koukaza).—The deputies who will represent Alsace-Lorraine in the French Chamber will meet on November 27, at the old Parliament House at Strasburg, jointly to draft a solemn declaration which will be read in the Chamber on behalf of his colleagues and of all Alsace-Lorraine by a deputy who was a member of the French Parliament in 1870.

JOFFRE WELCOMED

Paris, November 25, (via Lyons and Koukaza).—Marshal Joffre accompanied by M. Millerand and General Humbert, presided at a gala celebration organised by the National Students Congress at Strasburg yesterday in honor of the Allies. In the course of his speech, which was loudly cheered, Marshal Joffre declared that France counted on Alsace, her ardor in work, and the healthy vigor of her old Gallic stock to help France become greater and finer. Alsace, on the other hand, could count on the true and enlightened support of France.

CLEMENCEAU RETURNS

(Reuter's Wireless Service)

Paris, November 25 (via Lyons and Koukaza).—M. Clemenceau returned to Paris this morning after his short holiday in La Vendee.

HEALTH OFFICER WARNS AGAINST FLU EPIDEMIC

In his report for October, Dr. Arthur Stanley, Municipal Health Officer, points out that "it would be well to be prepared against another epidemic of influenza" and urges prompt precautionary measures in the early stages of the disease.

Excerpts from the report, published in today's Municipal Gazette, follow:

"The public health throughout the month was exceptionally good. There were no cases of cholerale diarrhoea and comparatively few of dysentery.

"The dreaded influenza, though expected to return during the winter months, except for a few imported cases, did not make its presence felt.

"It would be well to be prepared against another epidemic. Like the 'common cold' and measles, influenza is most infectious during the early stage. The infection is of extreme communicability and nearly always from person to person, being rapidly destroyed outside the infected person.

"The spread of influenza is directly proportional to the extent of intercourse between persons. The best means of prevention when influenza threatens is to limit intercourse between persons so far as possible.

"Those having 'colds' or chills with headache and other pains and fever should keep to their beds. The following couplet, which originated in America, seems appropriate to the occasion:

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Special Constables Will Be Demobilised Today

Farewell Address Will Be Made By E. C. Pearce At Ceremony In Drill Hall

Ceremonies attending the official mobilisation of the Shanghai Special Constables will be held at 45 o'clock this afternoon in the Shanghai Volunteer Corps drill hall. Members of the Shanghai Municipal Council will be present and the President of that body Mr. E. C. Pearce will address the Specials drawn up for inspection.

On behalf of the municipality Mr. Peace has already expressed the city's appreciation and gratitude for the voluntary services given by the men of the organisation. It was sent in the form of a letter to Mr. A. L. Anderson, Assistant Commissioner of Police, who in turn directed that it be read aloud by the warning officers in charge of each squad of Specials. Last night being the final one of service for the members heard the communication. The letter is as follows:

"With the decision that the specials shall cease to function on November 27 it is the desire of the Council to place on record its very sincere appreciation of the invaluable services rendered since their creation as an active branch of the Police Force in May, 1918.

"That so many responded to the Council's call for enrollment at a time when the claims of business were particularly exacting on those who were left to carry on in Shanghai during the war and who were not already members of the Fire Brigade or Volunteer Corps was in itself most gratifying, but it was the untiring zeal, energy and devotion to duty shown by you and by those who responded to the call and the very high measure of efficiency attained—exceeding, I must confess, our highest expectations—that specially call for that expression of appreciation and thanks that I desire in the name of the Council, the community and the regular branches of the Police Force to express personally to you and to those under your command, at a parade and inspection to be held in the Drill Hall in the new Central Offices block at 7 p.m. on November 27, at which the Council has the honor to request your and their attendance.

"In the meantime I have the honor to inform you that the Council would be more than sorry to feel that the services of the Specials were to be lost entirely. It is accordingly proposed to establish a Special Police Reserve to be organised on lines which will be the subject of further consideration in due course, and I have the honor to express the earnest hope that you will continue to give your services to the community in the capacity of Assistant Commissioner-in-charge and that those who are now serving under you will continue to do so in the Special Reserve, so that its success may be assured.

I have the honor to be, my dear Mr. Anderson,

Your Obedient servant,

(Sd.) E. C. PEARCE, Chairman.

American Delegates Are Leaving Paris

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ave considerable influence upon ffairs in the Far East."

ANOTHER VIEW GIVEN

The Peking Pao, a conservative on-party organ, and the Peking nd Tientsin editions of the Yi hin-pao said this morning with egard to the American Senate nd the Shantung Question:

"The action of the American enate in making reservations ith regard to the Shantung lauses of the Peace Treaty and eserving for the United States omplete freedom of action in the vent of future controversy beween China and Japan with egard to Shantung is meeting with the wholehearted approval f the Chinese people and officials. he reservation will strengthen hina's hand in future negotiaions regarding Shantung and will articularly provide her with noral support in the event of apanese pressure for the opening f direct and immediate negotiaions covering this question. It s believed in official circles that hina will not only be able to esist this pressure henceforth ut that she will lay her case with greater hope before the Council of the League of Nations f that body is ever formed in uch a way as to be able to enorce its decisions.

"The American Senate's reservaions came at a time when the hinese Government and people ad begun to lose hope that Amerca would stand by them in regard o Shantung; hence their joy is all he greater, and America's action s looked upon here as a proof f the traditional friendship existng between the two countries. his act will not only strengthen he bonds of friendship that already exist, but will, it is thought, go far towards steadying China's internal situation. Government circles are therefore hopeful with regard to the outcome of the Shantung question and at the same time feel that they are now on the eve of putting through plans that will enable them to deal successfully with the questions of internal peace, disarmament and national finance."

U.S. Senate Thanked By Chinese Unions

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Japanese or maintain any relations with them. She urged that merchants should be told that their present sacrifice will yield large returns in the future, because, after all, when the merchants are living in a well-organised and strong country, their business interests are well protected.

TO AMERICAN SENATE

Chen Chia-nan, representing the China Labor Union, then introduced the resolutions thanking the United States Senate and urging the American press to give China its support.

The cablegram sent to the United States Senate by the unions follow:

"We sincerely appreciate your effort in upholding the principle of justice by your attitude on the Shantung question. You are laboring for the promotion of permanent peace for the world. Rest assured that the people of the Chinese Republic will be your faithful followers."

Biondi Appointed Japanese Emissary

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, November 21.—Monsignor Fumasoni Biondi who was formerly in India has been appointed Apostolic Delegate to Japan.

Ships Delayed When Propeller Fouls Anchor Chain

Snuggling together in the stream, two cargo boats swung against the tide in the Whangpoo River for a night, the screw of one caught firmly in the bow anchor chain of the other.

Divers and tugs disengaged the vessels yesterday and today they are ready to sail for Chinwangtao, from which port they are bringing $13 coal for the Kailan Mining Administration.

The British cargo boat Burrumbeat, Captain A. Watson, was lying at anchor in the stream when the Toyu Maru, Japanese freighter also under charter to the coal dealers and commanded by Captain Myashita, came up the river on the flood tide, discharged her cargo and started for her berth off the waterworks. Swinging into her berth the Japanese steamer fouled the British vessel's bow anchor chain with her propeller.

Without possibility of disengaging the two ships at night they were allowed to lie in the stream for twelve hours. Then divers were called and went to work. The screw was cleared and tugs were summoned to tow the Japanese vessel to her berth.

Wedding

WU—TING

The marriage of Mr. Wu Ting-seng, head of the Chinese Division of the British-American Tobacco Company, and Miss Ting-Tsoo-yun, of Shanghai, was solemnised yesterday afternoon at the home of the bridegroom.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Yui Zie-lien of the Baptist Mission, Shanghai. Miss Ting is a graduate of the Elizabeth Girl's School of the Baptist Mission. The groom's attendants were Messrs. H. E. Yui, and Ling-chien of Soochow, brothers-in-law of the groom. The bridesmaids were the Misses Zien Ging-mai, Wang Kwei-ying, Woo Ching-yin and Woo Ching-chie. Miss Wu Sing-mai, played the wedding march.

Among the guests were many prominent officials and merchants of Shanghai including Messrs. Sung Han-chang, of the Bank of China; Woo Dig-seng, of the Bank of Taiwan; Shen Pao-chong, the City Magistrate of Shanghai, and Wong Sing-san, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs of Chekiang.

Many beautiful and elaborate gifts were received from many parts of China and one of the most exquisite was a silk embroidered bed curtain, the gift of Choo Yang-kwang, Civil Governor of Shantung.

The decorations of the entire house were brilliant. The space over the door by which the guests entered was beautifully decorated with red, green, blue, orange and gold bunting.

The color scheme of the reception room, where the ceremony was performed, was red and gold. At the altar there were too large embroidered curtains of gold cloth.

The brides costume was of pink satin, with spangles in the design of the three-leaf clover and she wore a crown of pearls.

After the ceremony luncheon was served. Later in the evening the wedding party and the guests dined at a Chinese restaurant.

Smiles from the Mixed Court

Hard luck has been pursuing Tsian Foo-isaung, a brass-worker, all the way from Mesopotamia to Shanghai.

Life for him has been one foreign invention after another.

Every time things seemed to be breaking his way some Big Gloom has stuck up his head and made funny faces at him.

And now he's resting quietly in prison meditating on the vagaries of High Finance and the unreliability of foreign inventions.

Before leaving Mesopotamia Tsian Foo-isaung sought to augment his finances through use of his skill in games of so-called chance. A merry crowd of Cantonese gamblers offered an opportunity for the skillful Tsian and he soon left them gasping for breath and minus much lucre.

Tsian felt sorry for the Cantonese—but maskee. If they had no skill why should they enter the lists against one from Shanghai. It would be a good lesson for them.

Whereupon the happy Tsian blithely made his way to the old home town.

Alas and alack. Upon his homecoming Tsian sought to spend some of the wealth of the innocent Cantonese. But he couldn't do it. Those treacherous and deceitful gamblers had loaded his pockets with roubles—none of which was genuine.

But Tsian wasted no time in lamentations. He hied him to a money changer's shop and, he hasn't revealed the secret of how he did it, gave eight of the home-made ten-rouble notes for real money.

It was too easy.

And so Tsian hunted up a good friend and little playmate who is noted for his trusting disposition. Ten more of the pretty examples of the engraver's art, pleasing to the eye but valueless for spending purposes, changed hands.

The friend is not so trusting now. In fact he appeared somewhat annoyed when he related the story to the police. He was asked to watch for Tsian. He didn't need to be urged.

His vigil was finally rewarded by a glimpse of the brass-worker riding down the road on a bicycle. The friend hailed Tsian. The brass-worker's feet pawed frantically at the pedals and he was rapidly distancing the frantic friend and assuring himself that plenty joss stay alongside foreign man's machinery when another imported factor thrust itself into the story.

A motor car, driven with the care of the usual Chinese chauffeur, rounded a corner suddenly. Tsian was so busy congratulating himself on his escape from his victim that he did not see the approaching machine.

Bicycle and motor car collided.

The Police came.

Tsian went to jail.

And British Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Tsang are to decide on Friday whether or not he shall remain there.

Prince Of Wales Sails For Halifax

Heir To British Crown Is Given Tremendous Ovation By Americans

(Reuter's Service)

New York, November 22.—The Prince of Wales sailed today for Halifax on Board H. M. S. Renown amid the salvos of the forts and the blowing of the whistles of the vessels in the harbor.

Great crowds on the banks of the Hudson raised a storm of cheers as the Renown left the harbor, to the thunderous roar of the American warships. A huge procession of motorcars pursued the Renown along the Banks of the river for miles. The Prince was last seen waving his cap from the fighting top.

France Will Admit German Dye Exports

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, November 20.—In future, importation into France of German coloring matters free of duty will be permitted.

The prohibition of the exportation of foreign bonds by Germany will expire on November 30, according to present legal regulations.

Claveille To Head Rhine Commission

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, November 21.—The French Minister of Public Works, M. Claveille, is to be appointed chairman of the International Rhine Commission. According to the Versailles Treaty the Rhine becomes an international river with preference for France in the matter of water-works.

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BILL REGULATES BRITISH IMPORTS

Text Of Measure Designed To Prevent Dumping Is Announced

(Reuter's Service)

London, November 21.—The text of the anti-Dumping Bill ("Imports and Exports Regulation Bill") shows that the Committee constituted under the Bill to regulate the importation of goods, will consist of the President of the Board of Trade, the Financial Secretary to the Treasury, the Parliamentary Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, the Secretary and Controller of the Overseas Trade Department, the permanent Secretaries to the Board of Trade and ten members of the House of Commons. Orders will be made by the Board of Trade under the various heads of the proposed measures for the regulation of importation. These as has already been stated, consist of:

(1) Prevention of Dumping.

(2) Safeguarding key industries and industries affected by depreciation of foreign currency.

(3) Temporary regulation of exportation of certain goods.

(4) Authorisation of the grant of credits and undertaking of insurances for the re-establishment of Overseas trade.

(5) Assistance for the revival of hop-growing. These will be submitted to the Committee's approval. The Board of Trade will be empowered to grant licenses for the importation of prohibited goods, having regard to whether the restriction of imports is likely unduly to raise prices in the United Kingdom, and as far as is practicable preference will be given to goods from other parts of the Empire.

Opium Dealers Bribed Police, Officials Aver

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each month to a bribe fund to be divided among the Chinese constables in sums of $1.60 to each. Contention of the defense that this sum would be ridiculously small to cause a constable to risk the loss of his position was met by the prosecution calling attention to the fact that the amount approximates 15 percent of a constable's monthly salary.

The story of how Inspector P. W. Reeves and Sergeant W. J. MacDermott trapped the constables was dramatic. Discovering that there were indications of graft among the Chinese force at Hongkew, the inspector sent a trusted man with the three accused and, the informer declares, they made a round of the 16 shops, collected the bribe money and prepared to distribute it among the constables.

MONEY FOUND ON POLICE

When the three accused and the informer met at a house in the Hongkew district to make preparations for distribution of the spoils, it is charged, the inspector and the sergeant concealed themselves nearby in a sanitary inspector's office. As the accused constables emerged from the house they were placed under arrest and the money found in their possession.

After being taken to the Hongkew police station the suspected men were questioned separately. Two of them claimed the paper money as their own, each contending that it was savings intended for despatch to his parents. The third laid claim to the silver. But as the amount was greater than is ordinarily kept at hand by the most frugal Chinese constable and as the paper notes did not bear the council's chop, placed on all paper money distributed as police pay, the police officials disbelieved the tale.

Raids were made on the homes of the accused constables and on the shops alleged to have posted the bribe money. In some of the shops opium was found but others, the authorities say, had been warned in time to escape detection.

It is not charged that the entire Chinese force at Hongkew accepted bribes but the authorities believe that a majority of the 208 men had been approached with money. This belief is strengthened by the fact that in some of the houses raided, lists bearing the numbers of the 208 constables together with notations showing whether they were on day or night duty were seized.

BRIBE FUND MONTHLY

When the money was taken from the prisoners at the time of their arrest it was wrapped in papers bearing the addresses of the shops suspected of being in the opium ring.

That wholesale bribery has been taking place in the Hongkew district for many months is the belief of the prosecution, although it was only about the first of this month that the suspicion became a certainty in the minds of the inspector and his aides. Some of the lists seized in the raids indicate that they have been in existence for more than six months.

It is the contention of the police authorities that the conspirators made up a bribe fund every month and that it was distributed on the fifteenth day of each Chinese moon. In return for this money, it is charged, the contributors to the fund were allowed to operate opium shops without molestation from the Chinese constables.

Armed Force Of Japanese In Foochow

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by the crowd to be directing the fracas. They narrowly escaped danger by seeking refuge in a Chinese restaurant. A sergeant was wounded and a captain and others were escorted by armed police to the Consulate at the request of the Japanese Consul.

"According to information from Japanese sources the Japanese Legation made representations to the Chinese Government on the 20th instant concerning the Foochow fracas. The note was couched in friendly terms and briefly recounted reports of the incident, contending that radical students had indiscriminately resorted to illegal practices in their boycott campaign and were thus responsible for the trouble. A request was made for adequate and effective measures for the protection of life and property as well as freedom of trade of Japanese nationals in Foochow."

According to Chinese reports a Chinese went to a Japanese shop on the 16th instant, bought $100 worth of Japanese goods and proceeded with these goods past the Y.M.C.A premises, accompanied by a Japanese escort. On reaching the Y.M.C.A. buildings the Chinese was stopped by three students. The Japanese escort then attacked the students, seized one, took him to a Japanese house and severely maltreated him. The other two students ran into the Y.M.C.A. and informed an American teacher that Japanese had taken away one of the students. The American teacher followed after the Japanese and was himself attacked and beaten. The students then came out en masse. Meanwhile a large crowd of Japanese had assembled and a free fight ensued."

The statement of the member of the Japanese legation also says:

"I am authorised to state on behalf of this Legation that the rumor alleging its having sent a representative to Mr. Li Shih-hao, Vice-Minister of Finance, to inform him that in case of Mr. Chow Tse-chi's appointment to the office of Minister of Finance, the Japanese Government would give the Chinese Government no further support, is absolutely unfounded. It has been confirmed that none of the members of this Legation Staff ever visited the Vice-Minister of Finance on such a mission, officially or privately."

Japanese Editor In Bitter Attack On British Policy

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England fears that when the League of Nations, decided upon at Paris, comes into full operation, such questions will come before the League.

CAUSE TO WORRY

"Therefore she is in a hurry to bring Thibet and Persia under her sway according to her previous determination before the League of Nations is completed. On account of the war, Russia and Germany lost their influence in Persia, and the entire country including the noted oil fields of Chia Lun, has become an English sphere of influence. England with her far-reaching plan is to be feared, because she is preparing to lay oil pipes to the Persian Gulf to fuel English ships. This time the Anglo-Persian treaty prevents Russia from going down south, increases the safety of India, and secures the commanding position of the English navy. This is certainly success! In days to come the question of Thibet will give men cause to worry."

The newspaper, apparently fearing that some of its readers might overlook this editorial attack on England, calls attention to it on the first page in language that is unprintable. That the British Government's attention to this will be called appears certain.

Former German Liner On Fire At London

(Reuter's Service)

London, November 22.—The ex-German liner Prinz Hubertus which has just arrived after her first voyage from the East, has been partially destroyed by fire at Albert Dock. It is hoped that much of the cargo may be saved.

New York, November 21.—The ex-German liner Imperator has been handed over to the British authorities.

WHEAT EMBARGO LIFTED

(Reuter's Service)

New York, November 22.—The embargo on wheat will be lifted as from December 15.

"DE LUXE ANNIE"

News Brevities

The annual Caledonian Ball of the St. Andrew's Society will be held at the Town Hall tomorrow evening at 9 o'clock.

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Delegates to the Y.M.C.A. conference now in session in Hangchow will be guests at a dinner to be given tomorrow by the National Committee of the Y.M.C.A. of China at 6 o'clock at the Yih Ping Shan Hotel.

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Among the passengers leaving for the United States on the Empress of Asia are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert S. Honigsberg, who will attend the automobile show in New York.

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Charges of murder will be entered Friday before the Mixed Court in the case of the three men held in connection with a coolie who was stabbed to death last week. The affair took place on a barge at the Foochow Road jetty, November 16, during a gambling quarrel.

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Fires in Shanghai showed a marked increase for October over the same month last year, according to the report of the Fire Department published in this week's Municipal Gazette, there being 45 as compared with 33 in 1918. The damage was Tls. 23,500 as against Tls. 8,975 for October 1918. Chinese buildings in the Settlement were far more often affected than foreign structures, the damage to the Chinese being Tls. 18,300 while the loss to foreign houses was but Tls. 5,200. six foreign buildings and 54 Chinese structures were damaged.

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The case of R. T. Ryton vs. Inspector J. O'Toole of the municipal police, in which plaintiff and his wife claims damages for slander from the inspector and his wife will come up for hearing Monday morning in the British Supreme Court. Mr. W. S. Levinson represents the prosecution and E. W. Godfrey is counsel for the defense.

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Mr. C. C. Nieh, manager of the Heng Foong Cotton Mill, left yesterday for Shansi, where he will spend sometime as guest of General Yen Shih-san. China's model Tuchun. Mr. Nieh will make a thorough investigation of the industrial and educational improvements introduced by Governor Yen since his assumption of office eight years ago.

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The Pacific Mail Steamship Company liner Ecuador left San Francisco for Shanghai and ports on November 19, four days behind schedule. The liner was delayed by strikes in San Francisco.

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The Empress of Asia of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services sails from Hongkong today at noon and is to reach Woosung Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The tender, with Shanghai passengers, is to arrive at the Customs Jetty at five o'clock but outgoing passengers for Japan ports and Vancouver will leave an hour earlier. American mail will close at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

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Three lectures will be delivered at the Kiangsu Educational Association, West Gate, Saturday and Sunday, beginning at 2 o'clock each afternoon. Dr. Kuo Ping-wen, who recently returned from the United States, will address the association on the educational systems in the United States, Great Britain, Italy and Switzerland and the future of education in China. Messrs. Shen Shin-ching and Chiang Peh-yu will speak on the administration and education of Shansi respectively.

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A school for Chinese has been tentatively started by the Municipal Health Department to try and improve the material which at present offers itself for sanitary work.

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It will soon be possible to admit cases of tuberculosis of the lung among foreigners to the tuberculosis section of the Isolation Hospital. The work in the building is almost complete, the vacancies on the nursing staff are being slowly filled from England and additional quarters for the necessary nurses have been provided, according to the October report of Dr. Arthur Stanley, in today's Municipal Gazette.

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BOTH TEAMS ARE STRONG

Revival Of American Version Brings Picked Navy Men Against Civilians

Two husky elevens will clash at the Race Course this afternoon in the first Thanksgiving Day American football game in two years. The game will attract a big crowd because it means the revival of the "old game" and incidentally will be for the benefit of the American Charity Fund. Tickets will be sold at one dollar. Both teams, the Navy and Shanghai, are in good shape.

The sailors will be outweighed but will probably be in better condition than the Shanghai men as the Navy coaches have insisted on training regulations for the men playing this afternoon. The landsmen have the edge on football experience for many have won spurs as varsity stars. The Navy is made up of former high school players and the team has been working hard under the tutelage of Lieutenant Norton of the U.S.S. Wilmington, a former Annapolis halfback.

NAVY IS PICKED TEAM

The sailors eleven will be the pick of the Wilmington and Elcano teams that played at the Race Course two weeks ago. The team has a crack backfield with Keeton, Bailey, Wall and Colander, the latter being a line plunger of the first water. Keeton looked like a real quarterback in the game between the Wilmington and Elcano when he starred with his broken-field running. Bailey and Colander are off the Elcano while Keeton and Wall were in the Wilmington backfield.

The sailors have two fast ends who are hard tacklers—Cheslock and Sutter. The boys are light but are fast getting down under kicks and play great defensive football. White of the Elcano and Maxwell of the Wilmington will be in at tackle with Welty and Johnson, both off the Wilmington, playing the guard positions. Corlander, who weighs 247 pounds, will play center for the Navy.

Captain H. D. Rodger will lead the Shanghai team and is to play right half with Wilhoit at left and Marsden, a West Pointer, playing full. Cooper, who played second base for the Shanghai baseball team, will yell the signals.

LINE BIG AND FAST

The strength of the landsmen is in the line. Bradley, Trinity College varsity center, is to play the pivot position with Ashley and Chatham as guards. Ashley is a University of California man. Pete Dorrance, an all-Western tackle, and Glauque, former Oberlin star, will play the tackle positions and Neprud and Clair are the ends.

Cline, Kelley of Tientsin, Gold and others will also be seen in the Shanghai lineup.

There should be plenty of forward passing by the Shanghai team as Wilhoit can hurl the leather a mile and Clair and Neprud are both over six feet. Coach Bradley has been perfecting his team in the open game and this should be one of the features of the fracas.

The game will be played at the Rugby Football Club ground in front of the Shanghai Cricket Club, Rugby Club having allowed the American players use of both the field and club house.

Navy men and a troop of American Boy Scouts will be on hand to collect tickets from all except those in uniform.

And remember! The kickoff will be at three o'clock.

Nine Of The Shanghai Team That Plays Navy Today

(Left to right) Top row—Neprud, Giduque, Claire, Kelly. Bottom row—Cooper, Wilhoit, Capt. Rodger, Marsden, Kline.

How The Teams Line Up Today

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Glauque, lt	201	Maxwell, rt	180
Chatham, lg	194	Welty, rg	195
Bradley, c	198	Carlander, c	247
Ashley, rg	184	Johnson, lg	175
Dorrance, rt	210	White, lt	195
Neprud, re	175	Sutter, le	140
Cooper, qb	140	Keeton, qb	150
Wilhoit, lhb	175	Bailey, lhb	175
Rodger, rhb	168	Wall, rhb	180
Marsden, fb	190	Colander, fb	180

Average weights	Line	Backfield	Team
Shanghai	190 2/7	173 1/4	184 1/11
Navy	185 2/7	171 1/4	180 2/11

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Umpire—R. D. Bunn, U. of Michigan.
Field judge—C. Dyenck, U. of Ohio.
Head linesman—Lieut. Courtenay, U. S. S. Elcano.

Kickoff at three o'clock. Four 15-minute periods.

Brothers, Football Stars, Pitted Against Each Other

Brother against brother, Mike against Tim, rivals in sports for years, is a story in connection with the Yale-Princeton football game this fall. The Callahan brothers, two sturdy lads of Lawrence, must set aside all family feeling when they wear the Tiger stripes and Yale blue against each other on the gridiron this fall.

The fact that they represent rival teams, "Tim," John Timothy, for Eli and "Mike," Henry Augustine, for the Tigers, is a rare coincidence, and, better still, they will play opposite each other, as one will be Yale's center, while the other will play the pivotal position for Princeton.

Since boyhood these brothers selected different roads to fame. When in knickerbockers they took in the annual contests between Andover and Exeter. Mike, favoring Exeter, sat on the Exeter side, and Tim, rooting for Andover, sat under the blue colors, and even at this time they had set their minds on Princeton and Yale respectively after their hearts' desire would be fulfilled at the academies. Tim the older by two years, also is the heavier, weighing 215 pounds against Mike's 180. And both are about five feet ten inches tall.

Tim, the present Eli captain, started to play the game in 1911 at Lawrence High as a guard, and was shifted to tackle the following season, having been picked as all-Merrimac Valley scholastic player both seasons. In those years Lawrence lost only two games, and in 1912 played Malden High to a 6 to 6 tie, when Malden was acknowledged State champion after having defeated George Brickley's Everett High team, 21 to 20, with Fido Kempton's aid.

TIM GOES TO ANDOVER

Andover was fortunate to have Tim enroll in 1913, and Coach Lillard soon found a steady berth for him at center, a position from which he has not changed since. Against Exeter that year Tim startled the stands with his pluck, breaking a bone in his ankle during the first two minutes of play and continuing to the finish without a murmur, although he spent a month in the Andover Infirmary for his deed.

He was chosen captain of the blue the next year at the age of 17 years, being the youngest man ever to be elected to an Andover football captaincy.

In 1915 Tim wandered down to New Haven and made the yearling team, later joining the ineligibles when the freshman season was over. The ineligibles then had such men as Harry Legore, Matt McGrath of Exeter, Kirkpatrick, Braden and others, and invariably trimmed the varsity, much to the disgust of the late Tom Shevlin, who picked up the ropes at Yale that fall. It will be recalled that the ineligibles the Wednesday previous to the Harvard game trounced the varsity in half an hour.

MAKES YALE VARSITY

The following year, along with the elaborate preparations made to develop a winner at Yale, Tad Jones, the successful Exeter coach, took charge at New Haven and quickly determined the possibilities of Callahan.

It was a new epoch at Yale with Jones at the helm, assisted by Doc Brides as line coach, Dr. Bull as backfield coach, Alcott, end coach, and "Mike" Sweeney, the former Hill school trainer, as caretaker of the men. Though Yale had not won from Harvard in seven years, this combination in its first attempt turned out a winner.

Callahan was cut for ten weeks with a bad ankle, but returned for the Brown game, when he starred in making more than half of the tackles. A week later Princeton was met. It was an even thing. Tibbott, Princeton's great drop kicker, was rushed in to boot one over. Mosley blocked his first attempt, but Princeton recovered.

Callahan blocked the next attempt and thus paved the way for a 10 to 0 Eli victory. In the Harvard game that year Yale's 6 to 3 victory was due principally to the fact that the Eli line yielded to only two first downs during the game.

At the outbreak of the war Tim joined the navy and reported at Newport, where he held a position on the eleven captained by Cupid Black. Among others on the team was Schlachter of Syracuse, Dunne of Michigan, Gardner of Nebraska, Charley Barrett of Cornell and Gerrish of Dartmouth.

Tim was unanimously elected captain of the 1919 Eli eleven last June by the men who played on Yale's 1916 championship team. He was chosen all American center on Walter Camp's first team in 1917. He is of the class of 1920, Sheffield Scientific School, and is a member of the exclusive Berzelius Society and Colony Club, as well as being vice-president of the "Y" Club and chairman of the Student Council.

It is his intention to take up graduate work at Oxford after finishing at Yale, and probably he will enter the export trade in New York, while his brother plans to enter the steel business in Pittsburg.

MIKE ENTERS EXETER

Although not so illustrious as his older brother, Mike is a football player of sterling quality. He started his career at Lawrence High in 1913 as a center and has stayed at the position since. He was chosen captain of the high school team in 1914 and made the all-Merrimac Valley pivot position two seasons. He played at Exeter in 1915 and then was a member of Charlie Brickley's Boston College team and showed marked ability.

Being too young to enter the service in 1917, he entered the Princeton freshman class and played center on the informal team. In 1918 he entered the service in the navy at Cape May, returning to Princeton in the fall and leading the informal team. He was chosen on Walter Camp's third team that season. He is a member of the Tiger Inn Club.

Just what this pair will do in the coming battle is a question, but it is certain that their part holds more than the usual amount of interest and their every move will be observed, for it will be a distinct novelty in football to have these brilliant brothers opposing each other.

RACING IN ENGLAND

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London, Nov. 22.—Racing: The Manchester November Handicap was run today. Result:—

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AVERAGE LIFE OF RACE HORSE SHORT

Track Career Of Thorough Bred Less Than That Of Ball Player

What is the average life of a race horse?

The query arose when Capt. H. L. Bell declared that the track herald which led the parade to the post at the recent Belmont Park meeting was none other than Monroe Doctrine, a chestnut that raced in the east more than thirty years ago and now is 36 years old. Any horse which attains an age greater than 20 is something of a curiosity, but a one time racer still very much active at 36 years is thought deserving of more than passing mention.

STILL EARNS FEED

Monroe Doctrine never was a champion, but he had quite a good record, writes Daniel in the New York Sun. He made his debut as a 2 year old at the famous Iron Hill. Though an equine Methuselah, Monroe Doctrine still is earning his feed, for Capt. Bell uses him to train hounds. And let it be said that the old fellow looks fine and spry.

The average racing life of a thoroughbred is even shorter than the major league career of the average baseball player. Take Roamer, for example. Here we have a champion who only last summer had enough speed to set a new world's record for a mile. Yet at the age of 8 years he seems ready to be retired. Were he not a gelding, there is little doubt that Roamer would have been sent to the stud last fall.

COULDN'T COME BACK

We remember the case of Huguenot which was raced for six years, then sent to the stud for four years, then gelded and dragged out again to the track. One fine afternoon Huguenot dropped dead on the track at the age of 14.

There are quite a number of aged runners still going strong. Among them is Housemaid, the Broomstick mare that won so handily at Belmont park on Decoration day. She was the Fashion at Belmont as a 2 year old in 1910.

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CINCINNATI REDS GOING STRONG IN 1869, FAN PROVES

Winner Of World's Series Known In Old Days As Red Stockings

HELD SPLENDID RECORD

Club In Post Civil War Days Had Membership Of 500

An ardent baseball fan, an old time reader of The New York Sun, has given that newspaper a copy of the Theatrical News of July 3, 1869. In this issue are several baseball items of interest, among them an editorial on the wonderful accomplishment of the Red Stockings. The article which is of particular interest because the Cincinnati Red Sox recently won the World's Series follows:

The Cincinnati Baseball Club of Cincinnati, Ohio, which has lately been brought prominently before the public by a series of splendid victories, not marred by a single defeat, and never before equalled by any club in the country, deserves more than passing notice. The club numbers over five hundred active members, and it is composed almost exclusively of business men.

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The club owns beautiful grounds 600 feet square, which it has fitted up at an expense of $20,000. A commodious club house was built, and several large buildings for spectators, capable of seating 4,000 people, were erected. These beautiful grounds are called the Union Grounds, and are within twenty minutes walk of the center of Cincinnati.

STRENGTHEN TEAM

For the last two or three seasons the officers have been making every exertion to strengthen their nine, and have finally succeeded in getting a body of players each one of whom is almost unrivalled in his particular position

The brothers, Messrs. Harry and George Wright are well known to baseball and cricket players. They were once members of the St. George cricket club, Hoboken, and the Gotham baseball club. George has also played baseball with the Nationals of Washington and Unions of Morrisania.

Mr. Asa Brainard, their accomplished pitcher, at one time filled that post in the Excelsior club of Brooklyn. Asa is also a fine billiard player, and but a short time since defeated John Frawley, the champion of Ohio. Mr. Fraw Waterman is, as all New Yorkers know, an old member of the Mutual club of New York. Freddy plays better than ever, and is a valuable man for any nine to have on third base.

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CAREER OF RED STOCKINGS

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On the 17th the Cincinnati club played a match with the Eckfords on the Union grounds at Brooklyn and beat them by a score of 24 to 5.

On the 18th they played the Irvington club of Irvington, N. J., beating them by a score of 20 to 4.

On the 19th they played the Olympics in Philadelphia. The game proved to be very exciting, especially at the conclusion of the eighth inning—the score standing 6 to 1 in favor of the Olympics.

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LEONARD MERRICK

Merrick, Leonard. Conard In Quest Of His Youth. With an introduction by Sir J. M. Barrie. **The Actor-Manager.** With an introduction by W. D. Howells. **Cynthia.** With an introduction by Maurice Hewlett. New York: E. P. Dutton and Co.

Leonard Merrick, thanks to a collected edition of his works recommended in introductions to the various volumes by the eminent novelists of his generation, is having something of a vogue among us. Occasional middle-aged men on railway-trains may be seen gravely turning the pages of "Conrad in Quest of His Youth." Merrick, even his brother authors and best critics admit, has never been a popular success, however much his careful writing and shades of feeling have been appreciated among the masters of his own craft. "The novelists' novelist," he has been called. Aside from "Conard," which is his best-known novel, and at one time threatened to become a "best-seller," he seems to have had a poor chance with the American public until the recent edition of his works began to appear in bookstores.

"Conrad in Quest of His Youth," with an introduction by Sir James M. Barrie, "The Actor-Manager," introduced by W. D. Howells, and "Cynthia," with a foreword by Maurice Hewlett have been out for some little time, both in a limited and a popular edition. All of them have the gray background that Merrick, as a kind of lighter, less determined "realist," finds useful in setting off the simple drama of his stories. Here is Conrad, trying to return to the memory-glorified days of his first centures in art and love, a very sentimental fellow in his thirty-seventh year. Gentle irony is mixed with the sentiment, except on rare occasions, and the mixture is of such a sort that, as the advertisements of the books intimate, the reader most fitted to appreciate it will have passed his first youth.

In "Cynthia," against a gray background that never quite becomes drab, Merrick follows the adventures of a young novelist, and then of the novelist's wife. Maurice Hewlett suggests that the study of the novelist's wife, which gives the book both its name and whatever distinction it possesses, may have been more or less of an afterthought. Cynthia, it might appear to a casual reader, suffers from too much of the rather priggish novelist husband, and too little of Cynthia. The result is not so satisfactory as is a somewhat similar study of a married idealist and art-worker in "The Actor-Manager." The development of character in this story is close enough to the manner of our own Howells to justify the introduction. The ending, rather peculiarly, comes in a particularly vivid treatment of an illicit love-affair between two secondary characters. Even if the result of this affair, as we are left to infer, will be to set the principal character free to follow his love and his art, it produces a very mixed finish.

The Tower's Story Retold

The Tower of London From Within. By Major-Gen. Sir George Younghusband, K. C., M. G. George H. Doran Company.

"It requires some hardihood to write afresh the story of the Tower of London while so many able and complete accounts are in existence," says Major-Gen. Sir George Younghusband in his "Apologia" to his narrative of The Tower of London From Within. "But perhaps," he continues, and with special reference to the fact that he is now the Keeper of the Regalia and on duty in the Tower precincts, "not often before has the tale been told by one who lives within these ancient walls. The literary palate also sometimes requires a change and those who may pass by a book of two generations back are perhaps tempted to take up a new presentment of the same subject, though it be merely a case of old wine in new bottles."

The old wine of the Tower story is set down here with an admirable narrative art and a well balanced feeling for historical proportion. After giving a general survey of "the oldest palace and fortress in Europe" Gen. Younghusband devotes two chapters to The Fortress From Within, describes in detail the several officers of the Tower, Constable, the Lieutenant, and that picturesque and ancient guard, the Yeoman Warders; gives a long and detailed description of the origin of the order of the Knights of the Bath and the ancient and modern forms of investiture; retells the familiar stories of Anne Boleyn and Katherine Howard, of the Dukes of Somerset and Northumberland, lady Jane Grey, Sir Walter Raleigh, and James, Duke of Monmouth. There are chapters on Life and Death in the Tower, tortures, the four chapels, the ancient arms and armor, the Jewel House (where the royal jewels are kept) and a final chapter devoted to the restoration of the whole group of buildings by Queen Victoria, done at the suggestion of the Duke of Wellington.

The story of the Tower of London is not a happy one to read, since it is filled with deeds of brutal and hideous torture and death, crimes based on every human depravity on the part of those instigating them. Gen. Younghusband relates one ghost story in connection with it, that of the enlisted man of the Sixtieth Rifles who bayoneted a "white figure" on his post in 1864 and fell in a dead faint when his weapon met with no resistance, and a personal experience of his own in his quarters in St. Thomas' Tower concerned with the opening and shutting of a door, apparently by no human agency. The only humorous incidents in the book are those of Sir William Seymour, who ordered very expensive furnishings for his "cell" in St. Thomas' Tower, and then escaped before paying for them, leaving the Lieutenant of the Tower to be sued for their cost; and the very modern tale of the American officer who was quartered in the Tower for a week en route to France and who on being locked out of the Tower spent the night in the guard room. As he said, he had been "locked up like Lady Jane Grey and all that lot in the old Tower of London." The narrator adds that "it may perhaps be of interest to that officer to learn that the last previous American prisoner at the Tower of whom there is record was Edward Grove, late of Hampton, New England, who was committed to the Tower on June 6, 1683, for levying war against the King."

Memoirs Of A Military Critic

Repington, Charles A Court (Lieut.-Col.). Vestigia. Reminiscences of Peace and War. 8vo, pp. viii-373. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

The remark one is apt to pass on reading the first three chapters of this volume is—"Thoroughly British! Why do they print it here?" For those forty pages deal with ancestral background of the author as long ago as the Norman Conquest. Here, too, are reproductions of a number of family portraits and their history, and stories of family life and home. We have also given the youth and training of the colonel. In the fourth chapter, however, we begin to taste something of more intimate relish, as the young man in 1878 finds himelf a subaltern in India, gazetted to the Rifle Brigade. There he managed, though ill, to be attached to a column headed for the Khaibar Pass in the Second Afghan War. From this time on there is no lagging in the narrative, for this soldier has a vivid memory (or else kept a pretty straightforward diary), and early began practise for journalistic contributions with a precociously mature pen. His first military service was in support of the political agent, Cavagnari, whose murder later at Kabul shocked the world and caused the British to take summary justice on the Afghans for their treachery. His next service was in Ireland, in the days of Parnell and landlordism and the murder of Cavendish and Burke. During some years of "peace soldiering," the author went to Burma, and then was returned to Ireland. Wherever he was, however, he found the material for excellent stories. Curiously enough, it is just at this juncture that he introduces Wilhelm II. of Germany, as the writer of a letter to Repington's uncle, in which the Kaiser figures as a naval architect and a prophet of the Fashoda incident. This typical sentence occurs almost at the end of the letter:

"Perhaps your press then suddenly will find out that after all the German-Emperor is worth while thinking of! Quien sabe?"

In 1897 the author was in Egypt, and soon in the Atbara Campaign under Sir Francis Grenfell, with Kitchener "among those present." In succession we pass through the Omdurman Campaign with a chapter on Sudan Memories, the Fashoda incident, the first Hague Conference (1899), and then get another letter from the Kaiser on the Jameson raid. South Africa and the Boer War next figure, with which the author rounded out twenty-five years of military service, retired, and took actively to writing as war-expert for the papers, eventually going to The Times as military correspondent. His first noted service in this direction was during the Russo-Japanese War.

The remainder of the book, dealing with events that culminated in the "Great War," has immediate interest. The Kaiser's attempt to blind the British as to the purposes of the German naval program is among the revelations made here. Certainly the prospects of a war with Germany and consequent naval dispositions were discussed at length by the British authorities. But, as Colonel Repington says, they were so unaware of what was really in the air that,

"It is certain that we had neither the policy ready, nor the ships built, to save Antwerp when the need arose in 1914, and that the fall of Antwerp was largely due to the shameful neglect of our interests in a region where they were, and always must be, vitally concerned."

It is in his capacity as military correspondent of the London Times that the author of this volume became so well known to Americans. He wielded an effective pen, and was regarded as one of the highest military authorities. In the present volume he mingles military criticism with narratives and pleasantries so as to make an interesting and informing volume—to one interested mainly in British affairs. The book is well illustrated with excellent maps of the battles described, and has an unusually complete index. An extensive appendix consists of a memorandum on a hypothetical invasion of England by the Germans, showing the possibilities of transporting an army of invasion consisting of 150,000 men, with embarkation within thirty-six hours. Apparently a defensive warfare was all that was ever considered by British officials prior to the opening of the war.

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'English Language' Is Subject Of Interesting Paper At Masonic Hall

The Reverend A. J. Walker, Dean of the Holy Trinity Cathedral, delivered a lecture on "The English Language" at the Masonic Hall yesterday afternoon to members of the Shanghai Branch of the Royal Society of St. George.

The lecturer said that spoken English was the branch of the subject with which he intended to deal. The talkers were the makers of English but were helped in their work by the writers of English. He would like to acknowledge the valuable assistance of the grammarians and lexicographers but so long as these put forward the intolerable claim that talkers should be the slaves of grammars and dictionaries, he would offer them nothing but scorn.

On a dead language the grammarians could hold a post mortem examination, and evolve a complete dictionary and a complete set of rules and exceptions. So long as a language was alive all that these gentlemen could do was to follow close upon the heels of the talkers and try to keep their grammars and dictionaries up to date.

English was a wayward child, with remarkable powers of assimilation. It was always doing the wrong thing and then being told that the thing was right. Old English had case endings. There were accusatives and datives, with forms for the singular and plural. The talkers got slack, muddled up their inflexions and at last found that they could do quite well without them. All that remains is a form for the genitive singular and a form to denote a plural: e.g. "garden's" and "gardens." This most blessed state is due solely to the fact that the language was made by the talkers, who in the early days were not hampered by grammarians.

The Dean gave some striking illustrations of the pranks that the talkers played with the meanings of words. To 'strike' properly meant to 'go fast.' It now very often means 'not to go at all.' The noun 'stroke' keeps nearer to the old meaning. You can go fast with the hand when you give strokes to a bad boy or go fast with the hand when you give strokes to a pet cat.

A great number of words from foreign languages had been assimilated by the English language. It might almost be said that every language had made its contribution. Latin was the largest contributor but as most of the words came through Low French and not by a direct road, they had more easily acquired a thoroughly English flavor.

'Gracious' and 'gratify' had a common origin in the Latin tongue but the former was more thoroughly English. Here again the talkers had played all sorts of pranks. No one of his hearers would feel that he was dragging the glorious English language in the mud, if perchance he used the word 'mob.' But it is not so very long ago that the would-be 'Classicists' were wringing their hands in utter despair on account of this really useful little word. Its history is as follows: The word 'crowd' suggests number but not the temper of the number. A scholar knowing the uncertainty of the temper of a crowd, used a Latin phrase 'mobile vulgus.' The talkers shortened this to 'mobile' and then again shortened it to 'mob,' restricting the meaning to bad tempered crowds. The word was so useful that it was made a verb as well as a noun. No one nowadays minds being 'mobbed.'

In acknowledging the debt of the talkers to the writers the lecturer pointed out that if Tyndale had been bound to the sole use of words in the dictionary (had such existed in his day) we should never have had the beautiful word 'peacemaker,' nor the word 'beautiful' with which to qualify it. In conclusion he thanked the Society for the honor conferred on him, and said that he had every confidence that his audience would always be worthy "makers of the English language."

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Obitary

HENRY DE LA MEURTHE
(*French Wireless Service*)

Paris, November 25 (via Lyons and Koukaza).—The death occurred in Paris yesterday, at the age of 73 years, of M. Henry Deutsch de La Meurthe, one of the founders of the Automobile Club of France and later of the Aero-Club of France.

SIR GUY LAKING
(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Nov. 23.—The death is announced of Sir Guy Laking, the well-known authority on armory. Sir Guy Laking was Keeper of the King's Armory and Keeper and Secretary of the London Museum, Lancaster House.

Tientsin Greets Rev. Mr. Darwent

The Rev. C. E. Darwent, M. A., who recently left Shanghai to accept a call to the pastorate of the Union Church of Tientsin, was tendered a reception and formally welcomed to that city on November 19 by a gathering representative not only of his own congregation but also of All Saints church and the Catholic church. The Peking and Tientsin Times devotes two columns to a review of the reception, and at one point in the story says:

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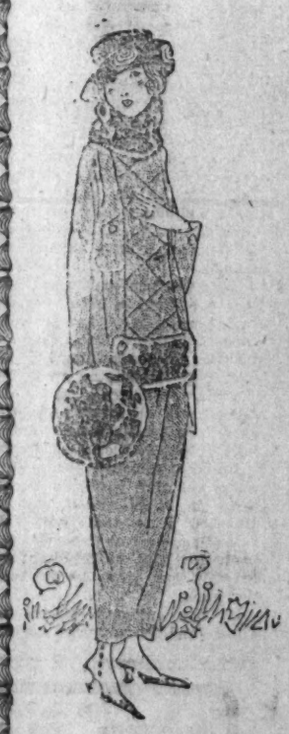

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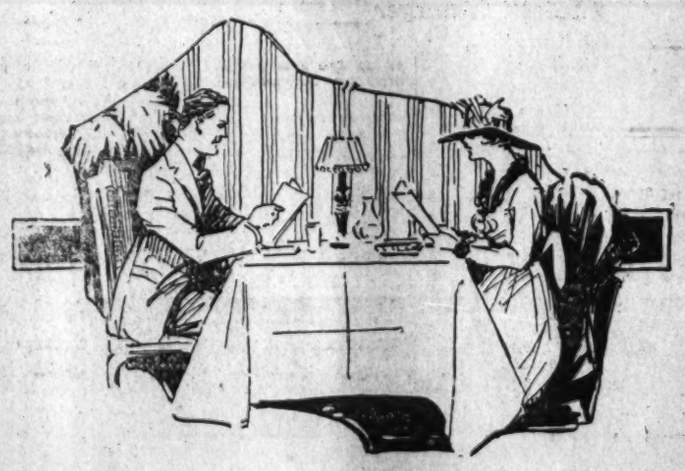

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Harbour Notification
No. 9 of 1919

Marking of Conservancy Works below Pootung Point, Shanghai Harbour

NOTICE is hereby given that conservancy training works along the Normal Line immediately below Pootung Point will be commenced forthwith.

The primary operation will be the sinking of fascine mattresses and caissons along the Normal Line, which will be marked by piles about 600 feet apart. These piles will be surmounted by spherical wickerwork day-marks painted BLACK, and be lighted at night by red lights. Crafts of all description are cautioned against attempting to pass between the line of piles and the Pootung shore, and are further instructed not to anchor within 150 feet of the line of piles as otherwise they wil be in the way of the construction operations.

Referring to the above, special notice is drawn to Clause 16 of the Harbour Regulations containing instructions to the effect that vessels passing conservancy works in course of construction shall proceed at a slow speed.

H. G. MYHRE,
Harbour Master.

Approved:
L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House,
Shanghai, 24th November, 1919.

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Customs Notification
No. 932.

Acting under instructions issued by the Chinese Government through the Inspector General, I have to notify the public that in future all kinds of Chinese Waste Cotton, including fly cotton, which have hitherto paid duty at the rate of 5% *ad valorem* are in future to be allowed to pay duty as raw cotton, viz: at the rate of Hk. Tls. 0.5.5.9 per picul, at the merchant's option.

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L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, 26th November, 1919.

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NOTICE

Four blank plain sheets of foreign Paper bearing the Chop of TALOW DISPENSARY (大陸藥房書柬), and signed in Chinese by Chang Ling Sung (章林生), have been lost or mislaid.

The Public is hereby warned not to accept papers bearing such Chop and signature, unless chopped and signed in the presence of the manager of this company. Anybody holding one or more of the aforesaid sheets of paper is requested present same at the Office of this Dispensary within 14 days from date, after which period they will be declared null and void.

The Manager
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November 25th, 1919. 26620

In re Estate of CAPTAIN N.T. VENTORINI *Deceased.*

NOTICE

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November 26, 1919.

NOTICE

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French Municipal Council

NOTICE

The French Municipal Council are prepared to receive tenders for the supply of coal and other articles of fuel, for 1920.

The approximative quantities are as follows:—

Anthracite	150	Tons
Karatz No. 1	375	„
„ No. 2	850	„
Smithshop's coal	45	„
Coke	180	„
Firewood and Firewood (short bundles)	4,000	Pcls.

to be delivered at the various Municipal Buildings.

All particulars and necessary information can be obtained upon application at the Secretary's Office.

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The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any of the tenders.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary.

French Municipal Council

NOTICE

The French Municipal Council are prepared to receive tenders for the supply of kerosene oil, gasoline, greases and oil for 1920.

The approximative quantities are as follows:—

Gasoline	9,100	gallons
Kerosene oil:		
1st quality	2,500	„
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Oil for motor cars	435	„
„ „ engine	2,000	lbs.
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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

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Par ordre,
Le Secretaire du Conseil,
P. LEGENDRE.

[redacted]

NOTICE

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GEO. R. WINGROVE,
Secretary

Shanghai, 19th November, 1919.

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26617 D.19

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26579 N.30

GENTLEMAN, residing in Frenchtown, desires English lessons three times week, 6 to 7 p.m. State terms to Box 433, THE CHINA PRESS.

26578 N.27

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED man, American or European, with fair knowledge of office work. Give particulars as to age, nationality, experience and salary expected. Apply to Box 450, THE CHINA PRESS.

LEARN STENOGRAPHY: Many leaders in industry began work as stenographers. Stenography many times a short cut to high confidential positions. You can prepare for well-paid position in your own home. Write for information. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, 11c Nanking Road.

N.27

EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITIES in China for men with electrical engineering training. Increasing demand for men qualified to supervise electrical installations. We teach entire profession from first lesson in mathematics. Ask us for Catalog. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, 11c Nanking Road.

N.27

WANTED, foreign export man who is an expert in bristles and feathers. References necessary. Apply to Thomas W. Simmons & Company, 10 The Bund.

26576 N.27

WANTED, Chinese young man for pleasant office position. Must possess excellent knowledge of mathematics and good knowledge of English. State experience and training and salary desired. Apply to Box 438, THE CHINA PRESS.

26586 N.27

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 16

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED, three furnished rooms, with board, by American with family of three. Apply to Box 443, THE CHINA PRESS.

26610 N.28

WANTED to rent, furnished apartment, with meals preferred, for three adults. Apply to Box 440, THE CHINA PRESS.

26595 N.28

WANTED for three or four months complete and well furnished apartment, two bed rooms, or board with private family, French Concession or Western District preferred. American family of three. Apply to Box 427, THE CHINA PRESS.

26555 N.29

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE: Will Mr. Lin Li-yen, who recently reviewed Dr. Sun Yat-sen's book for THE CHINA PRESS, please communicate with Dr. Sun.

N.23

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, half house, water and taxes, $30. Wayside district. Apply to Box 432, THE CHINA PRESS.

26575 N.27

TO LET, 8 Route des Soeurs, excellent seven-roomed residence, modern. Apply premises for inspection; other particulars with J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

26387

TO LET, 20 Robinson Road, excellent ten-roomed residence with garage, facing Park. Rent only Taels 90. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

26137

FOUND

DOG FOUND, Sunday afternoon, November 23rd, near Soochow Hills, a pointer. Owner may have by describing accurately, and paying incidental charges. Address M.N., Soochow Academy, Soochow.

26608 N.27

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

TWO office rooms to let, central district, near Bund. Apply to Box 442, THE CHINA PRESS.

26602 N.28

OFFICES TO LET: Several suites of offices of one, two and three rooms, near Bund. One suite has three very large rooms on ground floor. Apply J. T. Hammond, No. Szechuen Road.

2655.

STORE to let, best location foreign district in Nanking Road with long lease and moderate rate of rent. Apply to Box 314, THE CHINA PRESS.

26525 D

TO LET, space in light, airy godown in Central district. Apply to Box 416, THE CHINA PRESS.

26533 N.28

Exchange and Mart

HOUSE-BOAT for sale, in excellent condition, fully equipped with dishes, awnings and new yulows. Taels 750. To arrange for inspection, address to Box 437, THE CHINA PRESS.

26585

FOR SALE: Steam heating system, complete, including boiler, 3,000 ft. surface heating capacity, 85 radiators and all accessories cost $12,000, price in U.S. today, will sell for $5,000. All in original cases. Complete list may be seen at office of A. Lafuente, 6 Kiukiang Road.

26406 N.30

5 KW Marconi Wireless Set, absolutely new, in its original cases. Two generators, switchboard, telephones, coils and all accessories ready for installation. Cost in U.S. $13,000. Will sell for $6,000 Complete list may be seen at office of A. Lafuente, 6 Kiukiang Road. Prices quoted are c.i.f. Shanghai, all ready for immediate shipment Posner, Carter Co., Manila, P.I. Cable address "POCARTER" Manila.

26406 N.30

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 2,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

Head Office:
38 Bishopsgate, London, E. C.

Court of Directors:
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W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
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The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

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Bangkok	Karachi	Rangoon
Batavia	Klang	Saigon
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Calcutta	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore
Canton	Madras	Shanghai
Cebu	Manila	Sourabaya
Colombo	Medan	Taiping
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Hongkong	Yokohama	Tientsin
Iloilo		

Shanghai Branch 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Acting-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital .... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve .... Frs. 50,000,000.00

Succursales et Agences:

Bankok	Hanoi	Saigon
Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Doudichery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoete	
Hankoou	Pnom-Penh	

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This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabex."

Capital .....Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

T. G. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital ... $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000 @ 2/- $15,000,000
Silver 21,000,000
$36,000,000

Reserve liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
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London Bankers:
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Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN,
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 8,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad. Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.

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SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
Manager for Asia.

The Bank Of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital . . $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,933.68

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
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Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
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Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interests allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital £2,000,000
Reserves £431,890

Head office: BRUSSELS
London: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Branches: Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking, Tientsin,
Agents:
New York: 31 Pine Street
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Societe Generale Belgique

Bankers:
London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque Nationale de Credit.
Lyons: Banque Nationale de Credit.
Marseilles: Banque Nationale de Credit.
New York: Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

SavingsBank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914. and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
35 Szechuen Road

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. TAO, Manager,
Y. M. CHIEN, Sub-Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.
Paid-Up Capital ...$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 391,347.41
Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
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Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
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Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
Shu Chin Mih, Sub-Manager.
C. C. Yang, Sub-Manager.

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San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

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Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	Straits Settlements
Tsingtau	Singapore
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Hongkong	Santo Domingo
Canton	San Pedro de Macoris
Manchuria	Sanchez
Harbin	Santiago
India	Puerto Plata
Bombay	Panama
Calcutta	Panama
Rangoon	Colon
Japan	
Yokohama	
Kobe	
Java	
Batavia	
Soerabaya	

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THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

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	Camaguey
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	Matanzas
Chile	Pinar del Rio
Santiago	Placetas
Valparaiso	Remedios
	Sagua la Grande
Uruguay	Santa Clara
Montevideo	Santiago
	Sancti Spiritus
Venezuela	Union de Reyes
Caracas	Yaguajay
Maracaibo	Colombia
	Medellin
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	Petrograd
Italy	Spain
Genoa	Madrid
	Trinidad
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San Juan	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited

(Established 1880.)

Head Office: Yokohama Japan.

	Yen
Capital Subscribed	100,000,000
„ Paid up	61,000,000
Reserve Fund	Y.28,000,000

London Bankers:
The London County and Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.
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The London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd

Branches and Agencies

Batavia	Los Angeles	S. Francisco
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Buenos Ayres	Lyons	Shanghai
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Calcutta	Mukden	Singapore
Chanchun	Nagasaki	Sourabaya
Dalny	Newchwang	Sydney
Hankow	New York	Tientsin
Harbin	Osaka	Tokio
Hongkong	Peking	Tsinanfu
Honolulu	Rangoon	Tsingtao
Kaiyuen	Rio de Janeiro	Vladivostock
Kobe		

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars, according to arrangement.

Drafts granted on principal places in Japan, Korea, Formosa, China and the chief commercial places in Europe, India and America.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

K. KODAMA, Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)

Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
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Bandjermasin	Penang
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Medan	Telok-Betong
Padang	Tjilatjap
Palombang	Weltevreden
Pekalongan	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

The
Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908.

Capital $1,000,000
Reserve Fund $50,000
Head Office, Branches & Agencies.
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Lanchi.

Agencies at the principal Cities throughout China.

Foreign Agencies:—London, New York, Tokio, Yokohama, Osaka, Kobe, Hakodata, Seoul and Fusan.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Tel. No. C. 3145, Manager's Office.
Tel. No. C. 2147, General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, Gold Dollars and Yen according to arrangements.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
4% Compound Interest allowed on Savings Current Deposits.
Interest allowed on Savings Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Cheque-books or Savings Pass-books at Depositor's disposal.

Li Ming, *Manager.*
Chen Sin Tseng, *Sub-manager.*
Zai Moh Zung, *Sub-manager.*

THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912

Capital (fully paid) .....H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund...H.$ 400,000.00
Investment reserve fund ...H.$ 40,000.00

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 700,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C.

London Bankers:
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Handy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. T. BEATH Manager.
26 The Bund.

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... the Far East:

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...nd Kiangse Roads

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New York

CAPITAL U.S. $4,000,000 SURPLUS U.S. $1,100,000

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Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
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No. 1 KIUKIANG ROAD
TELEPHONE CENTRAL 1174

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK LTD.

9 Ningpo Road

Capital (registered)..... $1,000,000.00
Capital (paid-up) 655,900.00
Deposits (June 30, 1919)..... 5,242,000.00

Branches and Agents in all principal cities of China.

Correspondents in London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Chicago, Tokyo, Kobe and Osaka.

Your business is solicited.

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on November 25, 1919.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	16-18
Cod	„	16-18
Mandarin	„	20-30
Mackerel	„	20-30
Pomfret	„	25-30
Salmon	„	16-18
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	16-18
Whitebait	„	20-24
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.00-$2.50
Duck	„	40-60
Hare	each	30-35
Eggs	per doz.	18-20
Fowl	per lb.	18-20
Geese	each	60-90
Partridge	„	40-45
Pheasant	„	45-50
Pigeons	„	16-18
Quail	„	12-14
Snipe	„	12-14
Teal	„	12-14
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	40-50
Wild Duck	„	30-35
Wild Geese	„	35-45
Wild Pigeons	„	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	16-20
Bananas	„	4-5
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-6
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Oranges	per lbs.	6-10
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	„	10-12
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples	„	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	„	14-15
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	2-3
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Bread Beans	per lb.	8-10
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Cabbage	each	3-5
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	50-60
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	„	8-10
Green Corn	each	1-2
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	„	8-10
Parsnips	per bunch	3-4
Peas	per lb.	8-10
Potatoes	per picul	$2.50-$3.00
Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	„	3-5
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	per 50 lbs.	—
Flour, Australian	„	$3.60
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.40
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$7.40
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

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Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ..	$450 B.
Chartered	$530 S.
Russo-Asiatic	£80 CNI
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 415 S.
North China	$180 B.
Union of Canton .	Hk. 195
Yangtsze	$270
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 22 S.
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$138
Hongkong Fire ..	$345 S.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. ..	$230
Indo-China Pref. .	$20
"Shell"	205/–
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 40 B.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 37
Mining	
Kalping	Tls. 14
Oriental Cons. ...	25/–
Raub	$2.10 S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock ..	$180 S.
Shanghai Dock ...	Tls. 124
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 28
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ..	Tls. 180 S.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 104 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 67½
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 64
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotels Ltd. .	Tls. 18
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 590 S.
E-wo Pref	Tls. 85
Laou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 350 B.
Oriental	Tls. 250
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 320
Kungyik	Tls. 55
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 34
Yangtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 83
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$191
Green Island	87
Langkats	Tls. 18 S.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 107½ S
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	Tls. 12½ B.
Llewellyn	330
Lane, Crawford ...	388
Moutrie	332
Watson	66 B.
Weeks	Tls. 11 S.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 7 S.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 8
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 8 S.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21½ B
Batu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.75
Bukit Toh Alang .	Tls. 1½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.60
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.50 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 6
Cheng	Tls. 1½
Consolidated	Tls. 2¾
Dominion	Tls. 6
Gula Kalumpong .	Tls. 5½
Java Consolidated.	Tls. 11½
Kamunting	Tls. 3
Kapala	Tls. 0.60
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 8.10
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 4½
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls. 9½
Padang	Tls. 8½
Pengkalan Durian .	Tls. 4
Permata	Tls. 2½
Repah	Tls. 0.75 S.
Samagaga	Tls. 0.65
Seekoe	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.75
Senawang	Tls. 8
Shanghai Kiebang .	Tls. 0.50 B.
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 6
S'hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 8
Shanghai Pahang .	Tls. 1½
Sungala	Tls. 1
Sungei Duri	Tls. 6
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¼
S'hai Kalantan ...	Tls. 0.50
S'hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 1
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.60
Tebong	Tls. 13½
Tiobri	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 4
Miscellaneous	
C. I & E. Lumber .	Tls. 350 S.
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13
S'hai Elec. & Asb	$2
Shanghai Trams ..	Tls. 65
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 18 S.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40
Shanghai Mercury .	Tls 25
S'hai Telephone ..	Tls. 72 S.
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Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, November 26, 1919

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate, @ 7/4=Tls. 2.7273
@ exch. 76.2=Mex. $3.5791

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate, @ 149¼=Tls. 67.00
@ exch. 76.2=Mex. $87.93

Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 76.025

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch: Tls. 160

Copper Cash .. per tael 179.500

Native Interest ..... Tls. 28

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 76d.
Bank Rate of Discount 6%
Ex., Paris on London ..Fr. 38.05
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$4.06½

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	7/4
London	Demand	7/4¼
India	T.T.	335
Paris	T.T.	1430
Paris	Demand	1433
New York	T.T.	149
New York	Demand	149¾
Hongkong	T.T.	64½
Japan	T.T.	33¾
Batavia	T.T.	391½
Singapore	T.T.	32⅛

Bank's Buying Rates

Nominal

London	Demand	7/5
London 4	m/s. Cdts.	7/8¼
London 4	m/s. Docy.	7/8½
London 6	m/s. Cdts.	7/9¼
London 6	m/s. Docy.	7/9½
Paris	4 m/s.	1545
New York ...	o/d Docy.	151
New York ..4	m/s. Docy.	158¾

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles

Roubles 20,000 .... =Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... =Mex. $0.65

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR NOVEMBER

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„ 0.66 @ 136¼ Gold $1
„ 1 @ 37 Yen 3.0?
„ 1 @ 15 Rupees 5.45
„ 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
„ 1 @ — Roubles —

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, November 26, 1919

Official

S.M.C. 7% Debs. 1919
Tls. 92.50
Langkats (Combined)
Tls. 15.00
Tls. 15.50
Laou Kung Mow Cotton
Tls. 360.00
New Eng. Tls. 28.00 Dec.

Unofficial

Anglo-Javas Tls. 7.75 Dec.
New Eng. Tls. 28.25 Dec.,
S'hai Lands Tls. 63.00
Laou Kung Mow Cotton
Tls. 375.00 December

FRENCH MARKETS

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, November 25 (via Lyons and Koukaza).—Market quotations:

Marseilles, November 25:
Green peas: Japan 185
Potato Starch 160
Havre, November 24:
Cotton, First quality .. 495
Cotton, Second quality.. 490
Cotton, Third quality .. 462
Lyons, November 24 and 25:

Raw Silks:	24th	25th
Cevennes	285–260	
Italy	255–290	
Syria	206–205	
Japan	255–258	
China	295–300	
Canton	215–220	

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Making Plantation Rubber

After experiments lasting over eight years personally made by the directors of one of the biggest engineering firms in the United Kingdom, a process for the manufacture of plantation rubber has been discovered by which the product may at last be able to hold its own with fine hard Para, says the Malay Mail of November 8.

At the present, the best price for plantation rubber is 2s. 2½d., and for fine hard Para 2s. 5½d. As fine hard Para contains 20 to 25 percent of moisture (water could be easily expressed by hand pressure alone from a section of a roll I saw bought in London last week), the actual difference in price is not less than tenpence per pound.

The rubber manufactured by the new process will contain a percentage of water but probably not more than 12 to 15 percent. Like fine hard Para it is disease proof. It cannot be made tacky by a temperature of 212 degrees. There is developed in it a disinfectant—phenol—which renders it disease proof and not liable to blue mould or spots, to which the present day crepe or sheet is so liable when imperfectly cured or dried. The American manufacturers and growers who have seen the process have been so much impressed that one firm controlling upwards of thirty factories in the United States is considering conveying the latex from estates to America by tank steamer for manufacture there.

The process itself is fool proof and is confined to latex only and does not deal with bark, scrap or earth rubber.

The latex is mixed on collection in the field with an equal bulk of a 3 percent solution of a new chemical Sironidine. This chemical is a preservative, and I have seen latex which was tapped in 1915 and which is today at home in exactly the same condition as it was when the Sironidine was mixed with it on the estate.

After straining, the latex is poured in a cradle, rocked slowly by machinery and the coagulating acid drips into it slowly from above. The time for complete coagulation is about three to five minutes and there is an ingenious arrangement by which the correct quantity of acid solution is allowed to drip into the cradle.

There is also a tipping scheme by which the mother liquor expressed by the rocking from each slab of coagulum is tipped into a vat at the side.

The coagulum is then placed in a dehydrater, or perforating machine, and considerably more of the liquor is expressed.

It is then put three or four times through smooth rollers and appears very much the same as wet sheet.

This sheet is then rolled up as tightly as possible by hand, and if the amount of latex originally placed in the rocker were small, one or more similar sheets may be rolled together.

This roll is then placed in a machine consisting of three brass rollers longitudinally graved, which revolve in the same direction. After a couple of minutes treatment the rubber is finished and ready for packing. The finished article is in rolls about 3 feet long and 2 inches in diameter and weighs about 4lbs. per roll.

In this cold climate it was found necessary to drop the slabs when they came from the dehydrater into a vat of boiling water for a minute or two to soften them for the remainder of the process. The rolls keep for an indefinite period, the oldest I saw being three years old.

The mother liquor expressed in the rocking and dehydrating processes is treated with tannic acid and the resulting precipitate, containing much of the nitrogenous matter taken from the tree on being mixed with lime to counteract the acid becomes the best possible fertiliser for the tree itself.

By the courtesy of the inventors and patentees, I spent three days at their works, during which time we made samples from latex treated with Sironidine and the actual time taken to turn latex into the article ready for packing and shipment never exceeded thirty minutes.

"DE LUXE ANNIE"

Band Concert Sunday

The following program will be played by the Municipal Band at the Town Hall Sunday afternoon, beginning at five o'clock:

1. Overture—Alceste ..... Gluck.
2. Air from—Orfeo ..... Gluck. Soloist: Mrs. H. v. Heidenstam
3. Overture—Semiramide ..... Rossini.
4. Air from—Favorita ..Donizzetti. Soloist: Mrs. H. v. Heidenstam
5. (a) Nocturne—Navarraise.
   (b) Menut—Manon ... Massenet.
   (c) Gavotte—Manon ..Massenet.
6. (a) Idyl—Siegfried.
   (b) Life in the Forest—Siegfried Wagner.
7. Waltz from—The Knight of the Rose .... Ric. Strauss.

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MUNICIPAL STAFF CHANGES

The following changes in the Municipal staff are announced today in the Municipal Gazette:

Police Force.—Long leave is granted to Sergeant D. J. Webb from November 25.

Public Works Department.—Long leave is granted to Mr. W. J. Bidgood, Clerk-of-works, from March 8, 1920.

Electricity Department.—Meter Tester, F. H. Lawrence, who proceeded on war service, is invalided from March 18, 1919.

Mr. C. A. Peake, Clerical Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 21.

Educational Department.—Mrs. F. Alan Robinson, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

Finance Department.—Captain T. H. Hutchison, Croix de Guerre, Assistant in the Finance Department, returned from war service, resumed duty on November 12.

Revenue Office.—Mr. V. H. W. Watton, Junior Clerk, returned from war service, resumed duty on November 13. He is appointed Clerical Assistant under agreement from June 22, 1918.

Hongkong Market

In their report for week ending November 21, Messrs. Moxon and Taylor write as follows:

High Exchange has had a very depressing effect on our market and as we close, business has almost entirely ceased owing to a plethora of selling orders mostly in Investment Stocks in order to convert into Sterling at present Exchange rates.

In the North, Cotton Mill shares seem to have reached a ledge and at the moment prices quoted are for the most part nominal.

Exchange.—The Demand selling rate on London is 5/-¼ and the T.T. selling rate on 65 Shanghai is Tls.

MARINE CHANGES OF WEEK

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company—Mr. G. Simaeff appointed third engineer of the Yushun and Mr. Thomas Roberts appointed third engineer of the Haean.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company—Master of the Waihing, Mr. Tipsell, transferred to the Wingsang; master of the Wingsang, Mr. D. Christie, to the Waishing; from reserve, Mr. W. R. Williams, to supernumerary chief officer of the Yusang.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Miss Monigon, Messrs. Marquis, A. Han, W. L. Goddum, H. P. Wadman.

Per I.-C. s.s. Luenho from Kiukiang: 3 U.S. Naval Ratings; from Nanking: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black; from Chinkiang: Mrs. F. J. Bornhole.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangyu from Hankow: Miss McPherson.

Per C.N. s.s. Tatung from River ports: Messrs. B. H. Hensler Robjohn, Bauld, James, Simon, Eiselstein, Mrs. G. L. Hodson.

Per C.N. s.s. Shengking from Tientsin and ports: Mrs. Price, Misses Barthlet, Martin, Master E. Forysth, C. Forysth, Macdonald and Martin.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru from Japan: Misses K. Staley, V. Staley, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Cruhender, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler and child, Mr. and Mrs. Yamashita, Mr. and Mrs. Nakamura, Mr. and Mrs. Imataka, Mrs. G. E. Figueiredo, Master C. E. Figueiredo, Messrs. J. J. Gomes, F. Staley, C. Stone, J. G. Nicholson, O. J. Kennedy, Hughes, S. Jones, R. P. Cole, P. O. Sheppard, Chin, Yoshida, Takei, Kogawa, Ikuma Oikawa, Kurabayashi, Fukui, Tnnaka, Takeo, Hofuku, Nagai, Konishi, Kawahito, Masamura, Ishikawa, Oshima, Yoshida, Yasuzawa, Watanabe, Horiichi, Enomoto, Okada, Kutani, Shodo, Fujita, Shimoda, Ogasawa, Kato, Murabishi, Fujita, Shudo, Kato.

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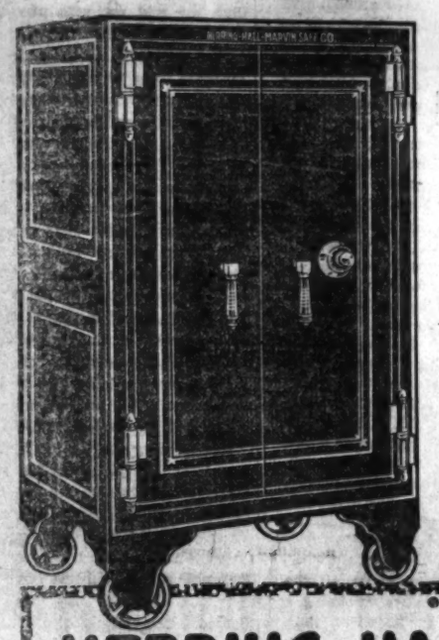

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WEATHER

Fine weather. Fresh Southerly breezes veering gradually to N.-W. along the North coast. Monsoon more moderate in the South.

IMPARTIAL & PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, NOV. 27, 1919

Some Thanksgiving Day

IT has long been the custom of Americans to offer in the harvest season praise and thanksgiving to the Almighty for his countless blessings and mercies to us as a nation. And so it is that the last Thursday in each recurring November is set apart by Presidential Proclamation as Thanksgiving Day.

This year Shanghai Americans will observe the day in the usual ways but they will have to do it without President Wilson's annual proclamation. Usually we have been able to get it but this year, owing to the President's illness and to the great fight that was going on in the Senate over the League of Nations and the Peace Treaty, the drafting of it probably was delayed. Not unlikely, the president held it up in the hope that the senate would act favorably on the covenant and Treaty and so give him something very special to be thankful for. But if this be so, the President at last found that he "had to go to press" with very little indeed to say in the way of thanks, for not only is he very ill, but during that illness he has seen his herculean labors at Paris in behalf of the League of Nations brought to nought.

Last year when the President came to write his Thanksgiving Proclamation the Great War had just been brought to a victorious end for the Allies and America. And President Wilson said in his Proclamation: "A new day shines about us, in which our hearts take new courage and look forward with new hope to new and greater duties."

It was a new day all right, with plenty of sunshine, but in the year that has passed since then, some new clouds have darkened the world. We would say that practically none of the things we so brightly counted on a year ago have materialised. Bolshevism, syndicalism, terrorism, massacre, famine, class hatred, chaos!—these various menaces to ordered civilisation have reared their angry heads. Not only these, but various small wars have broken out in Europe and there are signs of new and larger wars. And the United States Senate has rejected the Treaty of Peace and with it the League of Nations.

Nor in China do we find much cause for rejoicing. The North and South are farther apart; the Students' and Street Unions are demanding that the Government sever all relations with Japan; the German rights in Shantung have been awarded to Japan, high exchange has smashed export business, over-speculation in local stocks has brought on another crisis.

So that a survey of the whole field makes one long for the days of simple living and sane thinking that were when George Washington penned the first Presidential Proclamation of Thanksgiving. We give it herewith as a substitute for President Wilson's latest:

> Whereas it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly to implore His protection and favor; and
>
> Whereas both Houses of Congress have, by their joint committee, requested me "to recommend to the people of the United States a day of public thanksgiving and prayer, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many and signal favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness:"
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> Now, therefore, I do recommend and assign Thursday, the 26th day of November next, to be devoted by the people of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being who is the beneficent author of all the good that was, that is, or what will be; that we may then all unite in rendering unto Him our sincere and humble thanks for His kind care and protection of the people of this country previous to their becoming a nation; for the signal and manifold mercies and the favorable interpositions of His providence in the course and conclusion of the late war; for the great degree of tranquility, union, and plenty which we have since enjoyed, for the peaceable and rational manner in which we have been enabled to establish constitutions of government for our safety and happiness, and particularly the national one now lately instituted; for the civil and religious liberty with which we are blessed, and the means we have of acquiring and diffusing useful knowledge; and, in general, for all the great and various favors which He has been pleased to confer upon us.
>
> And also that we may then unite in most humble offering our prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler of Nations, and beseech Him to pardon our national and other transgressions; to enable us all, whether in public or private stations, to perform our several and relative duties properly and punctually; to render our National Government a blessing to all the people by constantly being a Government of wise, just, and constitutional laws, discreetly and faithfully executed and obeyed; to protect and guide all sovereigns and nations (especially such as have shown kindness to us) and to bless them with good government, peace, and concord; to promote the knowledge and practice of true religion and virtue, and the increase of science among them and us; and, generally, to grant unto all mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as He alone knows to be best.
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> Given under my hand, at the city of New York the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1789.
>
> GEO. WASHINGTON.

Bulky

After years of patient strap-hanging he had ceased to complain, and had resigned himself to the inevitable. He did not expect a seat in exchange for his fare as he journeyed home by tube from the city.

However, one evening he felt bound mildly to expostulate with the individual who was sitting in the seat below the strap to which he was pathetically clinging.

"Excuse me, sir," he said in a gentle voice, "but would you be so kind as to move your portmanteau from the gangway; I can scarcely find room to stand."

"Move my portmanteau?" said the other with a gasp. "What on earth do you mean, sir?" Those are my feet."

"Is that so?" was the reply. "Then perhaps you would be kind enough to pile them one above the other."

A Hot One

An Irish lady well known to society contributed to the gaiety of nations the other evening by dashing into the nursery and reproving her eldest born in manner following:

"I just wish your father was at home some evening to see how you behave when he is out."

Correspondence

The Japanese Affront To U. S. Consul General's Wife

(Note: We have been requested to use the following)

Editor, NORTH CHINA STAR
Tientsin.

Dear Sir.—I have noticed that your issues of November 19th and 20th contain references to the experience which my wife recently had with five intoxicated Japanese at the entrance of the Mukden Golf Club. As the news service which furnished the information has given an erroneous view of the matter I am taking this opportunity to acquaint you with the present status of the case.

The version of the incident which was published in the Manchuria Daily News was substantially correct. This fact was telegraphed by me to an American paper in Shanghai which asked for my version of the matter. The telegram read as follows: "Account published Manchuria Daily News substantially correct. My wife was alone at the time." The last sentence was added because another publication said that I also was present.

It is quite true that a party of five Japanese attempted to use the Government carriage and that they beat the horse as well as the mafoo when the latter resisted. The Golf Club boy told my wife what was happening and she rushed out to protect the mafoo and to prevent the Japanese from taking the carriage. Four of them were very offensive in their remarks and in their conduct but they did not strike my wife although they brandished a stick and assumed a menacing attitude. Four golfers who were playing the last hole saw what was going on and came quickly to my wife's assistance but even then the Japanese refused to leave. No blows, however, were exchanged. It should be stated that one of the Japanese realised the impropriety of what the others were doing and tried to drag them away, and in doing so he himself was badly handled.

On returning to the Club some time later I learned of the facts and went immediately to the Japanese Consulate-General to protest and to arrange for the arrest and punishment of the guilty parties. It was then almost dark and there was considerable delay at the Japanese Consulate-General, as the affair happened on a Sunday. Mr. Akatsuka, the Japanese Consul-General, was extremely kind and obliging. He expressed his regret and ordered a police official to search the town for the culprits. On the following day the Japanese Vice-Consul called and tendered an apology, and a similar visit was made by the Japanese station master under whom the five men served. The Japanese officials assured me that the assailants involved had been punished and they requested me to consider the incident closed. As my wife was perfectly satisfied with the settlement and as it was not a studied or deliberate offense, and as the railway employes were under the influence of liquor at the time, I was willing to drop the matter. The Japanese authorities concerned showed a genuine interest in making the proper adjustment, and as they had been extremely kind on other occasions, and as the relations between the Japanese Consulate-General and this office are most cordial and friendly I did not feel that I would be justified in magnifying the incident, and did not even report it to the American Government, fearing that the papers would take the matter up and exaggerate the whole affair.

As the Japanese officials in this district have shown a disposition lately to settle controversial questions in a reasonable and equitable way, especially in connection with recent attack by Japanese soldiers upon Mr. Glass, and as they took prompt and effective action in the present case I did not consider that any useful purpose would be served by giving the matter any undue publicity, and the newspaper comments which have appeared would not probably have been published had it not been for the article in the Manchuria Daily News.

I am sorry that such a lengthy explanation has been necessary but should appreciate any space which you may be able to give it as I feel that the Japanese officials concerned should receive due credit for what they have done. Very truly yours.

E. CARLETON BAKER,
American Consul-General.
Mukden, China, Nov. 21, 1919.

Frau Ebert Cuts Her Husband's Shirts And Speeches

(Literary Digest)

"Most men are a little stupid, and some are a trifle mad, but Fritz is a good man," says the wife of President Friedrich Ebert of Germany, generalising on men in general and her husband in particular. It seems that Mrs. Ebert has found it necessary to keep a supervisory eye on her husband ever since they were married, and she continues to do so even now after he has become the head of the German Republic. It is said that she is a good business woman and the financial head of the family. Mr. Ebert is reported to have failed financially both as a tailor and as a harness-maker. When he became editor of a Socialist newspaper and got it financially tangled up in a month or so, his wife stepped in and took charge of the business end of the concern. She has stayed on the job ever since. Economy seems to be main principle in her system of financial philosophy, and she practices it now just as she did in the old days, even to the extent, we are told in The Dearbon Independent, of making her husband's shirts. We read further:

"There are some splendid stories of Frau Ebert being waited on by the court dressmakers and other official nobodies, all eager to fawn on the new leader's wife. Frau Ebert promptly snubbed them and, it is hoped, flaunted one of her husband's shirts in their faces. In the same way she scorned all official receptions. The most she was willing to do was to have in a few friends and open a bottle of wine.

"This forty-seven year old housewife is a real democrat and always apologises for having servants. She gives interviews to newspapermen, but they are always sound and smack of a homily. She refers to the time when Ebert was making only $4 a week and admits it was and is a sad world, although now the income of the pair is really huge. She sits sewing and knitting while she talks just as if 'Fritz' Ebert were depending on a new shirt in order to appear at a cabinet meeting.

"'We are all servants,' she tells the newspapermen, 'some of us selfish ones, some unselfish. The unselfish ones will save Germany, if the selfish ones will let them. We should be a frugal people, and will need to be; but it will help us more than hurt us.

"'I believe that every woman should cook and sew, while every man should grow something good to eat.'"

In addition to being canny in the matter of finance and economy, it appears further that "the first lady of Germany" is a first class cook. In fact, we are led to believe that it was this quality that moved the future president to propose to her. As it appears:

"She first met Friedrich Ebert at Bremen. He was a flaming young radical in those days, with a gift for soap-box oratory and extravagant middle-class eloquence. He used to spout along the quays, haranguing the dock workers, and Louise used to linger on the outskirts of the crowd and laugh at him.

"She laughed at him so much that he was forced to laugh at himself, and that did him a lot of good.

"And just at that critical moment he discovered one day that Louise could make such an omelette, with peas....

"So they were married."

There were six children, and what with financial failures and other vicissitudes, the family found life more or less of a struggle. Mrs. Ebert discovered that she saved money if she made her own and the family's clothes, and it is said she hunted all the shops in Berlin for the food bargains. The sudden change in fortune did not turn her head. "Fritz is a clever man," was all she said when informed by a neighbor that her husband had become head of the new government. And to a newspaper man who interviewed her recently she said:

"Fritz is a good man, and a clever man. The great trouble with the fatherland is that Fritz and all like him were prevented from serving earlier. We never groveled before Prussianism, and we never shouted with the proletariat. We were the solid, hard-working German people, and we had nothing to say at all. It was a great pity.

"Yes, I prune his speeches sometimes. Every man needs a woman to guide him a bit. I know they say I stage-managed his career; supposing I did—if I did—is it an unworthy ambition, and should not the fatherland be glad of it? Of course there are many critics; most men are a little stupid, and some are a trifle mad. But Fritz is a good man."

A Strange Japanese Protest

(From the Peking and Tientsin Times)

If the utterances of responsible Japanese are to be credited, there is nothing so precious in their eyes as Sino-Japanese amity. We do not question the sincerity of such expressions, but have often been nonplussed by the curious ideas that appear to be prevalent in Japanese circles of the fundamental requirements and duties of mutual friendship, and of the degree of advantage which should accrue from that happy state of affairs to the respective parties. Still more incomprehensible are some of the means adopted by Japanese to further friendship between the Chinese people and themselves. These reflections are prompted by a recent incident which has provoked considerable indignation in leading Chinese circles in Tientsin.

On November 17 one of the principal papers in the city published a letter, written by Mr. Funatsu (the Japanese Consul-General) to the Vice-Minister of Agriculture and Commerce. In that communication, dated Tientsin, November 8, Mr. Funatsu mentioned that Mr. Pien Yueh-ting had been elected President of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Tientsin, and went on to assert that Mr. Pien was the promoter, whilst holding office as Vice-President of the Chamber, of the Ten Men Group organisations and the Commercial Union, who were very active in connection with the anti-Japanese boycott movement.

He reminded the official that two Japanese subjects had received injuries during a demonstration arising out of this movement, and added that "this Consulate" had protested to the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs against the activities of the anti-Japanese organisations and requested the suppression of the movement, and had also asked that Mr. Pien voluntarily resign his position (presumably as Vice-President of the Chamber) for the sake of Sino-Japanese friendship. Ignorant merchants and students might be excused, but the Japanese Consulate could not adopt an attitude of indifference when an official of the Chamber of Commerce instigated such a movement. If Mr. Pien voluntarily resigned his office diplomatic embarrassments would be avoided. Mr. Pien's personal dignity was also involved in the matter. Since this request to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs had not yielded material result, and as Mr. Pien had now shamelessly assumed office as President, he (Mr. Funatsu) trusted that the Board of Agriculture and Commerce would give its attention to the question.

This communication was the subject of a debate in the Provincial Assembly on Wednesday afternoon, when Mr. Chow Yung-ting declared that they could not allow such unwarrantable interference to pass unnoticed, and proposed that a protest be lodged with the Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce against the action of the Japanese Consul-General. Mr. Liu stated that Mr. Pien Yueh-ting had been unanimously elected President by the Chamber at a recent meeting. A protest was sent to the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at the appointment and Mr. Pien's resignation was demanded. The document was submitted to the Civil Governor, who decided that he was not entitled to take any action upon it. Finally Mr. Funatsu wrote to the Board of Agriculture and Commerce. Mr. Liu said he considered that the Japanese Consul-General's action was not in conformity with regular diplomatic procedure. It was in fact illegal, and created a most undesirable precedent. The highest official in the land could not rightfully interfere with the election of a President of a properly-constituted Chamber of Commerce, and still less had the Japanese any right to interfere. His action seemed to indicate that China was looked upon as being in the same relation to Japan as the Dependency of Korea, and he proposed that a resolution be passed calling upon the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to instruct the Chinese Legation in Tokio to demand the withdrawal of the Consul-General. The Assembly finally decided to despatch a strong protest to the Central Government.

An urgent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was convened the same day and, in accordance with the democratic conception of the duties of the Police that obtain in Tientsin under the present regime, a Police Inspector, on the instructions of his superiors, attended to watch the proceedings and to see that the merchants comported themselves with dignity and self-restraint. That, presumably, is the correct definition of his mission, for the Chinese press publishes sufficient information in regard to the speeches and resolutions at meetings of the Chamber to satisfy even the most inquisitive. The upholders of law and order might not object to a description of this measure, however, as a species of intimidation, of course in the highest interests of the country, and of Sino-Japanese amity in particular! The President surrendered the chair to Mr. Chang Ping-ti in view of the fact that the principal topic for discussion intimately concerned himself. The offending letter was duly read, and many speakers condemned Mr. Funatsu's action most strongly. One member emphasised that no foreigner would ever dare to do such a thing in a European country of which he was not a subject, and it could not be tolerated in China. If the Chamber allowed this to pass without protest Japanese would soon be interfering in their individual commercial transactions. Ultimately it was agreed to inform the Central Government that if it neglected to render asistance to the Chamber in this matter and failed to protest against the Japanese Consul-General's action the Chamber would have the correspondence published throughout the country, and would despatch copies to all the Chinese Chambers of Commerce and call upon them as a body to refuse to have any commercial transactions with Japan.

A representative of this paper interviewed Mr. Funatsu in connection with this incident yesterday. The Consul-General admitted having written the letter, but characterised it as a private communication, the disclosure of which greatly surprised him. He reiterated that Mr. Pien Yueh-ting was one of the principal agitators in the anti-Japanese boycott movement, and he regarded it as very detrimental to the mutual interests of China and Japan that such an extremist should hold the post of President of the Chamber. The Japanese Chamber of Commerce, he said, had repeatedly made overtures for an interview with Mr. Pien, in order to discuss the situation and find a way out of the difficulties, but on no occasion would Mr. Pien consent to meet them. We turned expectantly to an evening contemporary, who only differs from us in its affection for the truth in that it finds it necessary constantly to parade its love for this virtue before its readers, for further information on the case for the Japanese, and were not disappointed. It is stated in that organ that the resignation of Mr. Pien Yueh-ting figured in the original catalog of demands submitted in connection with the unsympathetic reception accorded two Japanese gentlemen who indiscreetly visited the scene of the recent demonstration outside the Police Headquarters in the City, and were handled in a manner of which we disapprove as thoroughly as we condemn their indiscretion. Later on the paper corrects its first statement, and says that "at the urgent request of the local Chinese officials" it was not officially embodied in the list, but it was tacitly understood between the parties that his removal should be arranged. We had thought that the incident in connection with the assault upon the Japanese had been closed with the payment of substantial sums for medical expenses, etc., and were unaware that any such demand had been preferred. We assume that when Mr. Funatsu describes his communication to the Vice-Minister of Agriculture and Commerce as private, he does not mean that it was unofficial, but that it was not for publication. Japanese diplomacy in China has so frequently demonstrated that it acknowledges none of the ordinarily recognised proprieties that the methods employed in this case cannot startle anyone.

In this country everything is possible and permissible, it would seem. Whether or no it is true that a tacit understanding existed between the local officials and the Japanese Authorities that Mr. Pien's resignation should be arranged, would be of considerable interest, but it is really immaterial. The fact is that the Government has no authority to take such action as suggested and in striving to compel it to such action, the Japanese authorities are attacking the elementary liberties of the Chinese people. Mr. Pien may be prosecuted, as an ordinary citizen, for any infringement of the laws of his country, but his position as President of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce is legally unassailable, and we are not persuaded that the Japanese authorities are ignorant of that fact. Perhaps that is the explanation of the secrecy that it was desired should be observed on this point. The Chamber alone has the right to say whether or no a member of its organisation is or is not qualified for office, and it is a most reprehensible course to endeavor to flout its rights and in secrecy to bring about the dismissal of a man who so greatly enjoys its confidence that he was unanimously appointed its President.

Topics In Brief

Has every one struck who wished?—*New York World.*

In Russia rubles are selling by dry measure. Two quarts for a dollar.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Life is very simple for the average man. All he has to do is to earn enough money to support his family, pay the wage-demands of organised labor, and profits to the employing corporations.—*New York World.*

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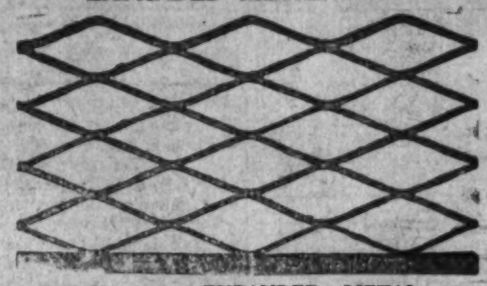

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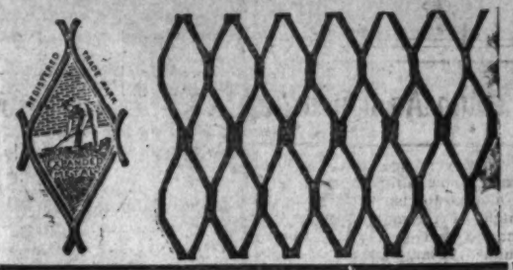

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Bringing Up Father

By George McManus

WE ARE GOING TO A SWELL RESTAURANT I HEARD OF
WELL-I HOPE I GIT SOMETHING TO EAT-
WHEN WE GO IN-DON'T LOOK SO MEAN-SMILE AT THE MANAGER-TRY TO LOOK PLEASANT-
ALL RIGHT-
YES-IN THE MANAGER-TABLE FOR TWO?
UH HUH!!
BUT MAGGIE-
I SAID WE'LL NOT EAT HERE!!

With An Island And Forty Wives Waiting

There is no accounting for tastes, even among military men.

A little Iberian village where he might be foremost appealed more than second place in Rome to Julius Caesar, regarded as quite a fighter in his day.

But Sergeant Robert A. McLean, of the Marine Corps, would rather write a good shampoo advertisement than be sultan of a South Sea isle. He would rather be near Broadway than claim the forty wives that are awaiting him in Liang-Liang, off the coast of Borneo.

Before he sells his harem Bob is going to give his inherited wives the once over. In October he left New York for San Francisco. The first boat will carry him off to the Southern Philippines to his throne, his household and his realm—all gifts of the old Sultan of Liang-Liang, who died four months ago.

Today he has his discharge as a marine, after eight years in the service—eight years which have brought this youth of twenty-nine more romance than most men find in their lifetime. He was just out of high school when he enlisted out in San Francisco. He was looking for adventure, and he got it.

Off to the Philippines he went, with no mother protesting, because she had died years ago, and with the consent of his father, a professor in the University of California.

Down in the southern part of the Philippines, where the natives are light in skin and Mahometan in religion, duty took Sergeant McLean. He was one of twenty marines stationed on the island Polloc. They used to go hunting deer and wild hogs and other game. On one of these hunting expeditions Bob McLean and two friends met the Sultan of Polloc and his guest, the Sultan of Liang-Liang.

"The Sultan of Liang-Liang spoke fluent English," said Bob the other day in recalling the meeting. "He had spent several years in Syria where he learned English from American missionaries. He was better educated than his host and wore the green turban signifying that he had made a pilgrimage to Mecca.

OFF FOR THE VISIT

"He invited me and my two friends to visit him. Several days later we hired a native canoe or banco and went from Polloc to the smaller island of Liang-Liang. This led to a pleasant friendship which lasted for more than a year.

"The Sultan lived on this island, three miles in circumference, which he owned. His house was two stories high and made of nipa fibre. It was set on stilts eight feet high and had twenty rooms. The cows and pigs and chickens were all kept in the space underneath the stilts. There were no windows of glass, but, instead, they were made of the same nipa fibre, which slid up and down and were always kept closed in rainy seasons.

"But the harem is off at a distance and during my stay there I never set eyes upon any of the wives. I do not know personally what they look like, though they are probably young and pretty, because the custom is to sell them to lees prosperous rulers when the women grow fat and past thirty."

Sergeant McLean has taken his religion as he found it. Although his mother and his father, who died last December, were of Protestant faith, the son has fitted his religion to the clime. Down in the southern Philippines everybody is Mahometan and so the "devil dog" adopted that faith. The faithful of Mahomet baptised him with sand as they chanted the Arabic ritual.

That, perhaps, more than anything else, won him the esteem of the old Sultan and led to his adoption.

"He was eighty years old then," recalled the son and heir, "and so he must have been about eighty-six when he died. I guess he was sort of in his dotage, for he grew so fond of me that he said he wanted to make me his legal son, for he had no legitimate male heir. You see, the heir to be legitimate must be the offspring of the sultana, or first wife.

"I thought he was joking about making me his heir, but one day I received a summons to come to him at once and bring along two of my friends. I took Frank Korneum, who was killed in France, and Sergeant Walter, of the Marine Corps, now stationed at Mare Island, Cal.

"When we reached the Sultan's home we were ushered into the public hall, which was really only a good-sized tent pitched high on stilts. There I found the Sultan looking very stately and important. My friends and I were taken into an adjoining room and dressed in long flowing robes, and then we were brought before the Sultan, who first bared his own chest and made a little slash in it with a Moro kris. Then he made me open my robe and bare my chest, while he cut the same size slash. Taking a drop of blood from his chest he mixed it with a drop of my blood, and from then on I was his adopted son. I left the next week and have never seen him since."

WHEN WORD CAME

In fact, Bob says he had almost forgotten about the incident. He has been kept pretty busy at the Marine Recruiting Office on East Twenty-third Street New York. It's a long, long way to Liang-Liang, and his heart's been right on his work until word came a few days ago from the Moro Commission of his bequest. Senor Fernando Gorgas brought him word that his kingdom awaits. At that moment McLean had finished up his marine work for the day and was doing a little outside work for an advertising agency.

Specifically, he was writing copy for an advertisement of a brand of shampoo. You may have seen some of his earlier shampoo copy in the subway stations. Ad writing is much more to his liking than sultaning, and he told the senor so.

"But the forty wives?"

"I'll sell 'em."

"And the island of Liang-Liang?"

"I'll get a sub-sultan."

"And the pearls? You know you are entitled to 10 percent of all the pearls taken by your subjects."

Here business took hold of the advertising man, where romance had failed. One pearl out of ten is not to be sneezed at on an island whose principal industry is pearling. There are 2,500 natives on Liang-Liang, and their chief occupation is going out in canoes and digging up pearls in the shallow waters. And custom has decreed that the Sultan gets a 10 percent rake-off.

That settled it. These business affairs must be looked after. Sergeant McLean applied for his release from the Marine Corps, and he got it. Then he left for the Philippines.

"I'll be back in New York as soon as possible," he said. "I can write better advertising copy here than in Liang-Liang."

D'Annunzio's Son-In-Law Visits New York

(*New York Tribune*)

The reporter who was sent up to the Biltmore to interview Signor Montanarella says that "from 3:45 until 7:20 fate hung in the balance." She lingered over a chocolate-malted milk and amused herself with speculations as to what sort of person the son-in-law of d'Annunzio would turn out to be. "A rather short young man," it developed; "about twenty-six or twenty-seven, with dark hair and very expressive dark eyes; a pleasant voice, which did its best with the difficult English; a manner suave and highly courteous—very alert. Also, a man distinctly not a feminist."

The reporter was sent up to call on Signor Montanarella, both because he is a son-in-law of d'Annunzio, and because, according to a news report, he is in America on a secret mission. The reporter came away with unshaken faith in his relationship to the famous captain of Fiume, but also with a firm denial of any secret mission at all. "I am here just to study, to see this great country." He made it quite emphatic. The secret mission part had to be dropped out of any scheme which may have involved soul-stirring headlines.

But the fact of the relationship remains to us. According to the reporter Signor Montanarella is "the first spokesman of the extreme nationalist shade of Italian opinion to arrive in this country."

The newspaper with which Signor Montanarella is connected, the Giornale d'Italia, of Rome, is considered, with the Idea Nazionale, as the leading organ of the nationalist group.

And now this ardent Italian journalist is in America. According to the reporter, "his smile was most disarming" (one would think the reporter must have gone in some way "prepared," as it were) "and his broken English delightful." As is always urgent in the case of interviews staged in the corridors of great hotels at noisy hours, the two first "found a nook out of earshot of the chattering tea drinkers." Then the solid part of the interview was negotiated—with the frequent aid, it seems, of Signor Mantanarella's little black pocket dictionary. ("It looked almost exactly like a prayerbook.") The reporter quotes him as saying:

"D'Annunzio is the only man in the world not touched by self-interest. I speak not as his son-in-law, but as his compatriot. For years he has been a celebrity, has been accorded honor and recognition by the serious intellects of the world. It was not for personal distinction that he arose in the cause of Italy, but to vindicate her sacred heritage, to safeguard her destiny.

"The Nitti government is one thing—a group of paid officials. But the voice of the people, the true government, acclaims d'Annunzio at Fiume. Fiume is Italian, by language, by tradition, by sympathy. She has always been recognised as a separate entity by the Austrian government. To Italy the question is settled. The heart of the Italian people will not yield the 'Pearl of the Adriatic' to artificial claims. D'Annunzio is the outburst of the Italian spirit claiming its own.

"The Italian people offer the American people true friendship and appreciation, none more so than d'Annunzio; witness his messages to the recent convention of aviators at Philadelphia.

"But—America must not try to dictate to Italy. America saved Europe from the Germans, but she must remember that the Allies also saved her.

"The Jugo-Slav is a barbarian by comparison, an infant in the family of civilisation. Has not Italy herself helped to give him birth? President Wilson cannot know the Jugo-Slav as the Italians know him. He has seen only one or two comparatively superior representatives. He does not grasp the profundity of the ignorance of the people themselves, nor into what unskilled hands he would give the vital port of Fiume.

"No one can tell the solution of the problem, but if Fiume were granted her, probably Italy would ratify the league."

None of which will strike the reader as particularly new, only, by virtue of what the reporter calls "his astonishing vigor and alertness," it takes on a kind of new significance. Also, it must be remembered that all this was pronounced by the son-in-law of d'Annunzio. Throughout, "although reiterating much that has already been said on the Fiume question, he did so with a vehemence which made one realise afresh how close the matter lies to every Italian heart." As for the little pocket dictionary, "he always produced it with native apologies"—especially in the middle of "his most intense sentences."

All About Asbestos

Although Canada is the great producer and exporter of asbestos, that article, which is yearly coming into wider use, is found in many parts of the United States. There are deposits in Maryland and Virginia within a few miles of Washington, and many of the deposits of this country are worked on a commercial scale. Despite this, however, the American industries dependent on asbestos rely on the Canadian mines or the Canadian quarries for their supply.

Asbestos is a curious substance that has been known for many centuries. Many of the people of ancient times used it, and it was cometimes wrought into soft and flexible cloth, which was used as a shroud for the dead. There are many varieties, and a large number of common and descriptive names have been applied to these varieties. Ligniform asbestos, popularly called "mountain wood," is a variety presenting an irregular filamentous structure like wood. Other varieties are popularly called rock, mountain leather, fossil paper and fossil flax.

Asbestos in modern times has come to be very extensively manufactured into incombustible cloth, gloves, felt, paper and other articles of common use, and is much used as a covering to steam boilers and pipes, in the manufacture of gas stoves, and, mixed with metallic pigments, it is employed as a paint for wooden structures, roofs, partitions and the like to render them fireproof or fire-resistant.

It is found in most parts of the world, chiefly in connection with serpentine. Scientifically it is described as a highly useful mineral, a fibrous variety of several members of the hornblende family, composed of separable filaments, with a silky lustre, the fibers sometimes being delicate, flexible adn elastic and at other times stiff and brittle.

Clever Artist

Mistress—So your brother has got a job as artist on a newspaper?

Maid—Yes'm; he draws the crosses on the pictures to show where the crime was committed.

Polite

At a wedding recently, when the clergyman asked the bride, "Wilt thou have this man to be thy wedded husband?" she, with a modesty which lent her beauty an additional grace, replied, "If you please."

What Did She Mean?

The Misses Grey—Oh, so glad to see you, Mary! But we've such dreadful colds, we can't kiss you, dear; we can only shake hands!

Fair Visitor—Oh, dear, how sad! I hope you haven't got a cold, Mr. Grey!

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Luenho,** 2,868 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Thursday, November 27** at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,** General Manager. Telephone Central 241, Extension for Freight and Passage. Outside office Hours. Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tatung,** Captain Williams, will leave from the French Bund on **Thursday, November 27,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. **Kiangyu,** Captain W. Phillip, will leave on **Thursday** night. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M. S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Suiwo,** 2,671 Tons, Captain Smith, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Friday, November 28,** at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,** General Manager. Telephone Central 241, Extension for Freight and Passage. Outside office Hours. Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Luenyi,** Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on **Friday, November 28,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS—The Co.'s Steamer **Suiyang Maru,** Capt. S. Kusakari, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Friday, November 28,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage, apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 5 The Bund.

HANKOW & PORTS—The Co.'s Steamer **Fengyang Maru,** Captain S. Takano, will be despatched from N.Y.K. Mail Wharf on **Saturday, November 29,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 5 The Bund.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Waishing,** 1,864 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Saturday, November 29,** at about midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,** General Managers. Telephone Central 241, Extension for Freight and Passage. Outside office Hours. Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chungking,** Captain Legge, will leave on **Sunday, November 30,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Steamer **Tachi Maru,** Captain S. Hosakawa, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Monday, December 1,** at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage, apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 5 The Bund.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Kutwo,** Tons 2,664, Captain Gibb, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Monday, December 1,** at about midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,** General Managers. Telephone Central 241, Extension for Freight and Passage. Outside office Hours. Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Tuckwo,** 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Tuesday, December 2,** at about midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,** General Managers. Telephone Central 241, Extension for Freight and Passage Outside office Hours. Central 250.

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NINGPO.—The Str. **Kiangteen,** Captain D. D. Ross, will leave on **Thursday** afternoon at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Sunning,** Capt. W. Benson, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on **Thursday, November 27,** at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents Freight Tel. No. 77 Passage Tel. No. 401.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking,** Captain A. E. Edwards, will leave from the French Bund on **Friday, November 28,** at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Yingchow,** Capt. E. B. Simons, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, November 29,** at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.—The Str. **Keelung Maru,** Capt. Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtszepoo Wharf on **November 30,** at ——— The steam-launch conveying passengers on board will leave the jetty in front of the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha at ——— For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA,** No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

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HONGKONG.—The Str. **Chicago Maru,** Captain S. Yamane will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtszepoo Wharf on **December 16.** For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA,** No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

For Northern Ports

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TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chekiang,** Captain H. A. Walker, will leave on **Friday, November 28,** at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents. Tel. No. 77.

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WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Shengking,** Captain K. E. Tuebben, will leave from the French Bund on **Friday, November 28,** at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund Freight Tel. No. 77 Passage Tel. No. 401.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tean,** Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the Watung Wharf on **Saturday, November 29,** at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

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HAMBURG & LONDON, via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE COLOMBO, PORTSAID, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP AND ROTTERDAM.—The Steamer **Alps Maru,** Captain T. Yamaguchi, will be desatched from the Co.'s No. 9 Buoy on **Dec. 7.** For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA,** No. 4, The Bund Tel. Central No. 4234 and 4235.

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West Harts	Nov.	18
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China	Nov.	25

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Naneric	Nov.	4
Benloni	Nov.	19
Eurylochus	Nov.	22

For Vancouver

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Empress of Japan	Nov.	22

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Kaga Maru	Oct.	29
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Glenade	Nov.	14
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Tatsuno Maru	Nov.	20
Rhesus	Nov.	22

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For Java Ports

Tjikini	Nov.	13
Tjiliwong	Nov.	15

For Calcutta

Gregory Apcar	Oct.	28

Siccawei Weather Report

25.—The new depression crosses Lake Baikal in a SE direction, and a heavy snowstorm is experienced at Irkutsk. Weather generally fine and cold in China; the anticyclone rests in the maritime provinces, between Kiangsu and Fukien. The monsoon is still blowing hard in the S. but the breeze veers to SE. and SW. in the N.

26.—Very fine and bright morning. The temperature is milder and the pressure continues to go down. Breezes of the S. quadrant, still unsteady.

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20.35	8.35		0	dep.	Peking	arr.	19.50
23.45	11.12		. .	arr.	Tientsin-Central	dep.	17.00
23.50	11.17		84	dep.	Tientsin-Central	arr.	16.55
24.00	11.25		. .	arr.	Tientsin-East	dep.	16.45
19.35	. .		524	arr.	Mukden	dep.	. .

Local 5.	Mail 3.	Exp. 1.		Tientsin-Pukow Line		Exp. 2.	Mail 4.	Local 6.
6.45	10.10	11.30	0	dep.	Tientsin-East	arr.	16.40	15.05	22.16
6.55	10.20	11.40	2.71	arr.	Tientsin-Central	dep.	16.30	14.55	22.06
7.25	10.40	11.55		dep.	Tientsin-Central	arr.	16.15	14.39	21.46
12.32	14.13	15.10	78	dep.	Tsangchow	dep.	13.21	11.21	16.36
18.35	17.15	17.56	148	dep.	Techow	dep.	10.45	8.39	11.56
22.28	20.05	20.21	220	arr.	Ihsienfu	dep.	8.06	5.50	8.20
7.									8.
8.00	20.55	20.31	—	dep.	Tsinanfu	arr.	7.46	5.30	18.40
11.14	23.20	22.31	266	dep.	Tsinanfu	dep.	6.01	3.15	15.54
14.17	1.22	0.34	318	arr.	Yenchowfu	dep.	3.49	0.35	12.23
14.42	1.52	0.49	—	dep.	Yenchowfu	arr.	3.39	0.02	11.58
18.33	4.54	3.16	377	dep.	Linchang	dep.	1.20	21.24	8.26
21.27	6.39	4.55	420	arr.	Hsuchowfu	dep.	23.36	19.20	5.20
9.									10.
7.25	7.00	4.57	—	dep.	Hsuchowfu	arr.	23.29	19.00	19.56
13.10	11.03	8.38	523	arr.	Pengpu	dep.	19.53	14.55	13.36
13.25	11.18	8.40	—	dep.	Pengpu	arr.	19.46	14.37	13.16
18.26	15.15	11.52	600	dep.	Chuchow	dep.	16.45	10.50	8.27
20.05	16.48	13.00	631	arr.	Pukow	dep.	15.30	9.20	6.40

N. Exp.	Exp.			Shanghai-Nanking Line		Exp.	N. Exp.
23.00	14.20	0	dep.	Nanking-Ferry	arr.	14.15	6.50
7.00	21.00	193	arr.	Shanghai-North	dep.	7.55	23.00

Yenchowfu-Tsiningchow Branch Line					Lincheng-Tsochuang Branch Line						
3.55	14.50	d. Yenchowfu a.	11.15	23.40	4.50	9.20	21.25	d. Lincheng a.	7.55	17.55	9.40
4.50	15.45	a. Tsiningchow d.	10.20	22.45	6.00	10.30	22.35	a. Tsochuang d.	6.45	16.45	23.30

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By Order

THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, November, 1919.

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Business and Official Notices

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THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1919

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Vladivostock and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..				17.00
Japan Ports	Novara	15.00	..	..	..	..	14.30
Chefoo	Toonan	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Sunning	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
Amoy and Hongkong	do	..	12.00	..	..	..	..
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train			..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
Swatow and Hongkong	Yingchow	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	do	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe v.a Canada	E. of Asia	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Asia	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Shengking	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	do	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Chekiang	..	13.30	..	..	..	..
Saturday November 29.							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Monday, December 1.							
Hongkong and Canton	Suiyang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Suiyang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..

B Letters and boxes with declared value 7.30; parcel post 5 p.m. and money orders 4 p.m.

E Registered articles 5 p.m. on previous day.

The Chinese Post Office will close two mails daily for Tsingtao, Tientsin, Peking, etc.

a.—at 21 for S. N. R. 23 o'clock train
b.—at 7 for S. N. R. 7:55 o'clock train

Mails closed by 7:55 train should reach Tientsin only 46 minutes later than those closed for the previous night's train.

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
Nov. 26	River ports	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 26	River ports	Tehhsing	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Nov. 26	River ports	Tungting	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 26	River ports	Tafoo Maru	Jap. N. K. K.
Nov. 26	Tientsin, ports	Koonshing	Br. J.M. & Co.
Nov. 26	Japan	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 26	C'foo, T'tsin	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Nov. 26	Native Customs	Kwangchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 26	Miike	Gokensan Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Nov. 26		Fukuju Maru	Jap. S. Shokai
Nov. 26	Tsingtau	Yekishin Maru	Jap. S.M.R.
Nov. 26	Tientsin	Yushun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Nov. 26	Kobe, Yokohama	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 26	Cruise	H.M.S. Kinsha	
Nov. 26	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 26	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Asia Nov. 29

For United Kingdom
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Tamba Maru Nov. 29

For France, etc.
Per M.M. s.s. Sphinx .. Dec. 6

For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano M. Nov. 28

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per s.s. Justin
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Tushimi M. Nov. 28

From United Kingdom
Per B. & S. s.s. Tydeus Dec. 2

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

SHANGHAI NORTH TO ZAHKOU—"DOWN" (MAIN LINE) ZAHKOU TO SHANGHAI NORTH—"UP"

STATIONS	Local	Fast R	Slow	Coolie & Goods	Local	Express R	Local	Local
Shanghai North dep.	....	7.35	9.00	10.00	....	14.50	15.50	....
Jessfield dep.	....	7.51	9.16	10.23	....	15.06	16.06	....
Siccawei dep.	....	7.58	9.23	10.38	....	15.13	16.13	....
Lunghwa Junction dep.	....	8.15	9.40	10.53	....	15.30	16.29	....
Shanghai South dep.	....	*7.45*	*9.10*	*10.20*	*13.35*	*15.00*	*16.00*	*17.55*
Lunghwa Junction dep.	....	*8.15*	*9.40*	*10.53*	*13.52*	*15.30*	*16.29*	*18.12*
Songkiang dep.	....	8.59	10.48	12.02	....	16.07	17.42	....
Kashai dep.	....	9.51	11.52	13.28	....	16.53	18.49	....
Kashing dep.	7.40	10.25	12.30	14.35	....	17.22	19.20	....
Yehzah dep.	8.45	11.05	13.15	15.50	....	17.53	....	....
Changan dep.	9.45	11.41	14.00	16.50	....	18.24	....	....
Hangchow dep.	11.10	12.50	15.25	18.30	....	19.19	....	....
Zahkou arr.	11.35	13.10	15.50	19.00	....	19.35	....	....

STATIONS	Local	Local	Fast R	Slow	Local	Coolie and Goods	Express R	Local
Zahkou dep.	....	....	6.30	7.55	....	9.20	14.10	15.30
Hangchow dep.	....	....	7.00	8.30	....	10.00	14.35	16.05
Changan dep.	....	....	8.04	9.48	....	11.40	15.20	17.36
Yehzah dep.	....	....	8.41	10.31	....	12.39	15.51	18.40
Kashing dep.	....	7.15	9.28	11.22	....	14.10	16.30	19.30
Kashai dep.	....	7.48	9.53	11.55	....	14.48	16.52	....
Songkiang dep.	....	9.05	10.47	12.59	....	16.08	17.40	....
Lunghwa Junction dep.	*8.18*	*10.38*	*11.38*	*14.08*	*15.33*	*17.23*	*18.23*	....
Shanghai South arr.	*8.35*	*10.55*	*11.55*	*14.25*	*15.50*	*17.40*	*18.40*	....
Lunghwa Junction dep.	....	10.30	11.35	14.05	....	17.18	18.20	....
Siccawei dep.	....	10.39	11.44	14.14	....	17.28	18.29	....
Jessfield dep.	....	10.46	11.51	14.21	....	17.37	18.36	....
Shanghai North arr.	....	11.00	12.05	14.35	....	17.55	18.50	....

KONZENCHIAO TO ZAHKOU (KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE) ZAHKOU TO KONZENCHIAO

Konzenchiao	dep.	6.50	8.25	11.25	14.00	15.55	18.35	Zahkou	dep.	—	10.10	12.25	....	17.20	....
Kenshangmun	dep.	7.10	8.50	11.40	14.15	16.15	18.50	Hangchow	dep.	7.30	10.40	12.45	14.55	17.50	19.15
Hangchow	dep.	7.20	9.15	11.52	14.24	16.30	19.00	Kenshangmun	dep.	7.42	10.57	12.57	15.12	18.07	19.27
Zahkou	arr.	—	9.40	12.10	....	16.55	....	Konzenchiao	arr.	7.55	11.10	13.10	15.25	18.20	19.40

R. Restaurant Car.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Nov. 27	—	Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Nov. 29	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Nov. 30		Seattle, etc.	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Nov. 30	—	New York	Lowther Castle	Br.	D. & Co.
Nov. —	—	New York v. Suez	C. of Newcastle	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 1	—	B'ton & N. York v. Suez	Wytheville	Am.	A. Line
Dec. 1	—	New York	Arna	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 3	—	Seattle	Endicott	Am.	A. Line
Dec. 3	—	San Francisco	Elkhorn	Am.	S. & Dix
Dec. 4	—	Portland	West Munham	Am.	A. Line
Dec. 4	—	Portland	Nishmaha	Am.	A Line
Dec. 5	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Dec. 5	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 12	—	Vancouver	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Dec. 14	—	New York	Knight Templar	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 20	—	New York	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Dec. 30	—	New York	Egremont Castle	Br.	D. & Co.
Dec. 21	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Dec. 23	—	San Fancisco	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 26	—	Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Dec. 28	—	New York	Tokushima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 30	—	San Francisco	Cadaretta	Am.	Dollar Co.
Dec. 30	—	New York	Celtic Prince	Br.	S. Tomes
Jan. 3	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Jan. 3	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 10	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.
Jan. 19	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
Jan. 22	—	New York	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Jan. 31	—	San Francisco	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 5	—	Vancouver	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Nov. 29	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Nov. 29	—	Kobe	Kitano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 2	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 3	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 6	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 9	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 10	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 12	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Nov. 27	—	Trieste	Nippon	Ital.	D. & Co.
Dec. 1	—	London	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 2	—	London	Carmarthenshire	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Dec. 2	—	London	Cardiganshire	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Dec. 3	—	Liverpool	Tsushima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 3	—	London	Kalomo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 5	—	London, etc.	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 5	—	Marseilles, Antwerp	Comdt. Dorise	Fr.	M. M. Cie.
Dec. 6	—	Calcutta	Arratoon Apcar	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Dec. 6	—	London	Alps Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Dec. 7	—	London	Methven	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Dec. 8	—	London	Mishima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 12	—	Liverpool	Teucer	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 12	—	Bombay	Dilwara	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Dec. 14	—	London	Novara	Br.	P.&O.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18	—	London, etc.	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 22	—	Marseilles, London	Kashgar	Br.	M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Nov. 27	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Nov. 27	1.00	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 27	4.00	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 28	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Nov. 29	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 30	—	F'chow, K'lung, T'kao	Keelung M.	Jap.	O. S. K.
Dec. 2	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 10	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 13	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 14	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Dec. 18	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Nov. 27	2.00	Dairen, Tientsin	Yunnan	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	3.00	Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	—	Chefoo	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 29	D.L.	Tsingtau	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 30	—	Tientsin, Dairen	Kohoku Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Dec. 2	6.30*	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S. M. R.
Dec. 5	8.00*	Tsingtau & Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Nov. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Nov. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Talee Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Nov. 27	D.L.	Wuhu	Pakhoi	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Nov. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Nov. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Sulwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Nov. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Nov. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Nov. 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.

*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D.L.—DAYLIGHT

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	From	Name	Flag and Rating
W.T.W.	———		Snipe	Br. gun-boat
W.T.W.	———		Nightingale	Br. gun-boat
M.M.B.	Aug. 18		Wilmington	Am. gun-boat
S. Creek	Oct. 29		M.A.S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
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———	Nov. 12		Elcano	Am. gun-boat
1 C.	Nov. 15		Arare	Jap. destroyer
1 C.	Nov. 15		Novaki	Jap. destroyer
P. & O. B.I.	Nov. 26		Villalobos	Am. gun-boat
B. N. B.	Nov. 26		Gnat	Br. gun-boat

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 5 and 6 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time		A.M. Range		P.M. Time		P.M. Range	
H	M	Ft.	In.	H	M	Ft.	In.
2	37	6	10	2	54	8	10

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides).

Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H	M	H	M
1	38	1	55

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
H M	H M	H M	H M	H M	H M
9 54 a.m.	8 54 p.m.	6 37	4 57	5 52	5 42

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai

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The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Fengyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Tsingtau for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tachi Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The A.L. s.s. Wytheville, from the States, will leave Kobe today and is due in Shanghai on December 2.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang will leave Tientsin for Hongkong today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The C.N. s.s. Wuhu is due in Shanghai from Chinwangtao today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Euryades, from New York, was expected to leave Kobe yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Miike on December 1.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Tydeus, from Liverpool, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Yohyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.N. ss. Fengtien will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai today.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar from London, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is expected to leave Hongkong today and is due at Woosung early Saturday morning. The Asia sails for Japan ports, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., Saturday evening.

The British gun-boat Kinsha left Shanghai yesterday morning.

The British gun-boat Gnat arrived in Shanghai yesterday.

The U.S.A. Villalobos arrived in Shanghai from the Yangtsze yesterday morning and mooring at the P. and O. Buoy No. 1.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the O.S.K. s.s. Africa Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 10 a.m.

Monday, December 1, 1919

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 9 p.m.

Thursday, December 4, 1919.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 9 p.m.

Monday, December 8, 1919.

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Sphinx will leave the M.M. Jetty (French Bund) at 8 a.m.

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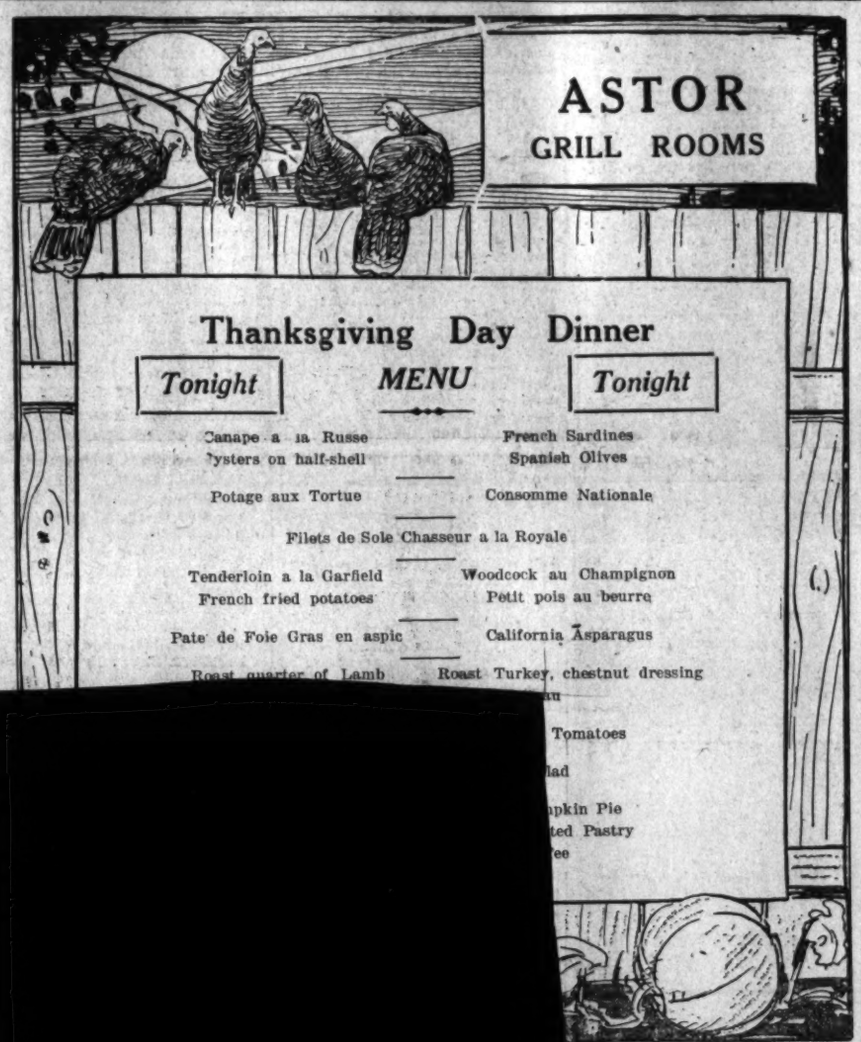

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Filets de Sole Chasseur a la Royale

Tenderloin a la Garfield — Woodcock au Champignon
French fried potatoes — Petit pois au beurre

Pate de Foie Gras en aspic — California Asparagus

Roast quarter of Lamb — Roast Turkey, chestnut dressing

...au — Tomatoes

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Hors d'Oeuvre Varies
Potage Cream of Tomato
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Cauliflower au gratin
Roast Sucking Pig, Apple Sauce
Baked American Potatoes, Green Peas
Roast Turkey, Oyster Stuffing, Cranberry Sauce
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Dessert—Coffee

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